REPORTS OF THE TOWN OF STONEHAM

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OF THE

Town of Stoneham

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1913

Reports of Town Officers and Committees

1913
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD, PRINTER
STONEHAM, MASS.

Town Officers 1913-14

Moderators

Charles A. Owen — Charles Thompson

Town Clerk

George N. Green

Town Treasurer

W. Padilla Gray

Selectmen

L. B. Renfrew Gray, Chairman — Arthur S. Parker
Willie H. White

Assessors

John Best, Chairman — Alfred P. Rhoades
George W. Newhall

Overseers of Poor

Walter C. Bancroft, Chairman — John G. Beede
Sylvester A. Lawrence

Board of Public Works*

Hervey H. Patten, Chairman — Leander V. Colahan
James A. Jones

Constables

Sumner H. Green — James J. Scally
John C. C. Small — Lemuel S. Harding

Collector of Taxes

Sylvester A. Lawrence

Board of Health

Martyn D. Sheehan, M.D., Chair. — George A. Hinchcliffe
John A. Boyle

Agent of Board of Health

George N. Green

Auditors

Fred H. Chase — C. Frank Munger

Park Commissioners

Sylvester A. Lawrence, Chairman — Herbert P. Howe

John Walsh

School Committee

Winthrop C. Whitcher, Chairman — Walter Gorham

Claude E. Patch

Superintendent of Schools

Arthur B. Webber

Attendance Officer

Lemuel S. Harding

Fence Viewers

L. B. Renfrew Gray — Arthur S. Parker

Willie H. White

Trustees of Public Library

Charles F. Buck — George A. Hinchcliffe

Sarah A. Lynde — Benjamin J. Hinds

Charles H. Chase — Cora E. Dike

Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery

Fred E. Nickerson — Charles W. Messer

David A. Abbott — Charles C. Dike

Winfred Dike

Undertakers

Charles W. Messer — Frank H. Reynolds

Burial Agent

David A. Abbott

Town Physician

George W. Nickerson

Superintendent of Public Works

Dexter G. Pratt Cornelius J. Sweeney

Clerk of Public Works

George N. Green

Engineers of the Fire Department

Albert J. Smith Joseph Tansey

Louis F. Bruce

Field Driver

Sumner H. Green

Pound Keeper

James H. White

Measurers of Leather

Edmund L. Clapp Wallace A. Leavitt

Measurer of Wood and Bark

Levi Hill

Tree Warden

George M. Jefts

Inspector of Buildings

L. B. Renfrew Gray

Inspector of Animals

George H. Allen

Inspector of Milk

George H. Allen

Inspector of Plumbing

Andrew J. Burnett

Sealer of Weights and Measures

George B. Williams

Public Weigher

Charles F. Hayward

Police

Sumner H. Green
James J. Scally
John C. C. Small
John G. O'Brien
C. Henry Severance

Special Police

Arthur C. Briggs
Wilton F. Bucknam
Sumner E. Barnstead
David W. Gerry
Perez C. Jones
Robert K. Brown
Warren H. Longmore
Louis F. Payson
Frank A. Wood
Ulysses S. G. Clark
Daniel Cullinane
Charles W. Nash
Louis F. Cutter
Jeremiah O'Connor
James B. Scribner
Joseph McDonald
Patrick O'Leary
John Campbell
William G. Peterson
James H. White
Dennis L. McKinnon
Thomas Roach
Alvah A. Junkins
George B. Williams
Lemuel P. Cochran
Amasa W. Nason
Charles L. Converse
Edward D. Van Tassell
Louis F. Byries
Michael Connors
Philip A. Robinson
Louis O'Leary
George A. Lane
Michael Murphy
Samuel Whitney
Ernest S. Frazier

Special Police Third and Fourth Days of July

William A. Bent
William J. Corcoran
Charles T. March
John L. White
Charles P. Dolliver
Charles H. Twombley
Frank H. Powers
Daniel P. Hurld
Ambrose Longmore
Daniel Sweet

Lockup Keeper

Sumner H. Green

Weighers of Coal

Wilbur .W Fisk — Joseph Butler
Levi Jackson — James J. Kenney

Registrars of Voters

Herbert H. Richardson — William Garside
Fred E. Kerns, — George N. Green, Town Clerk

Finance Committee

Edgar L. Patch — Anders C. Christensen
James Lister — Oliver W. Richardson
John Walsh — Maurice H. McKenna
William H. Arnold — Hugh Hamill
Alexander B. Wilson

Committee on Better Fire Protection for Public Records

Alexander B. Wilson — Stephen P. Finnegan
L. B. Renfrew Gray — John Johnston
Ira B. Forbes

Janitor of Armory

Sumner E. Barnstead

Janitor of Town Offices

Albert F. Wiley

Superintendent of Almshouse

James H. White

Superintendent of Brown Tail and Gypsy Moth Work

George M. Jefts

Water Registrar

W. Padilla Gray

Town Counsel

Herbert H. Richardson

School Physician

Francis E. Park

*Abolished March 31, 1913 †Died September 20, 1913

List of Jurors as Revised by the Selectmen June 30, 1913

Abbott, Charles J., 17 Ledge Street, Painter
Ahern, William H., 12 Lindenwood Road, Clerk
Andrews, Herbert H., 26 Hersam Street, Clerk
Averill, John F., 62 Central Street, Carpenter
Baldwin, Charles, 35 Spring Street, Machinist
Bell, George E., 66 Hancock Street, Clerk
Bennett, D. Edwin, 79 Pine Street, Blacksmith
Birmingham, Peter J., 14 Marble Street, Insurance Agent
Blodgett, Leon E., 10 Emerson Street, Clerk
Boyle, John A., 297 Main Street, Clerk
Bryant, Seth C., 2 Spring Street, Shoe Cutter
Buck, Charles F., 27 High Street, Retired
Burnham, Victor R., 1 Lincoln Street, Clerk
Carpenter, Albert Q., 1 Bow Street, Foreman
Carr, Charles H., 46 High Street, Farmer
Carr, John W., 3 Pine Street, Clerk
Chapman, Rufus B., 86 Spring Street, Spring Water
Claffy, John J., 166 Main Street, Mason
Claflin, Fred H., 18 Marble Street, Journalist
Cloutman, Charles E., 56 Hancock Street, Stockfitter
Cloutman, Charles Elmer, 8 Gerry Street, Clerk
Cody, John Joseph, 147 Franklin Street, Shoe Cutter
Clark, A. Duncan, 18 Maple Street, Buyer
Comer, Bernard I., 31 Hancock Street, Roofer
Danforth, Fred A., 315 Main Street, Box Maker
Dannahy, John E., 43 Washington Street, Clerk
Darling, Thomas W., 40 Gould Street, Machinist
Delano, Horace H., 14 Montvale Avenue, Box Maker
DeWolf, Louis, 204 Franklin Street, Painter
Drown, Harvey H., 67 Central Street, Motor Tester

Earle, Berton B., 219 Franklin Street, Solicitor
Ervin, Richard R., 22 Marble Street, Machinist
Fallon, Patrick J., 61 Summer Street, Shoemaker
Fletcher, William L., 59 Franklin Street, Trainman
Forbes, Frank M., Hill Court, Shoe Cutter
Fowle, Oliver G., 6 Benton Street, Shoes
Fuller, Simeon C., Capen Street, Clerk
Gagan, James P., 5 Gilmore Street, Shoemaker
Gale, John D., 19 Hancock Street, Retired
Gerry, David W., 389 Main Street, Shoemaker
Gilmore, John S., 47 Warren Street, Stockfitter
Gray, L. B. Renfrew, 18 Maple Street, Roofer
Gray, W. Padilla, 18 Maple Street, Town Treasurer
Green, Frank E., 7 Cedar Avenue, Shoe Cutter
Hartford, Luman, 8 Lincoln Street, Shoe Cutter
Hay, Homer C., 13 Wright Street, Shoe Cutter
Haymand, William I., 15 Minot Street, Shoemaker
Hersey, Alvin E., 1 Pine Street, Real Estate
Holden, Albert A., Hill Court, Meat Cutter
Howe, Walter E., Norval Avenue, Shoe Cutter
Howes, Joseph H., Garden Road, Carpenter
Jenkins, F. Austin, 350 Main Street, Stock Fitter
Jewett, Charles S., 89 Central Street, Merchant
Johnson, Frank W., 85 Central Street, Retired
Jones, James A., 66 Pleasant Street, Insurance
Jones, William H., 12 Stevens Street, Retired
Kelly, John W., 2 Warren Street, Shoe Cutter
Kerns, Fred E., 203 Main Street, Shoe Cutter
Lahey, James A., 14 Broadway, Stone Mason
Lawrence, Sylvester A., 13 Highland Avenue, Tax Col.
Lathe, John J., 42 Maple Street, Gardener
LeBrun, Homer, Congress Street, Shoemaker
Lent, St. Clair M., 11 Pond Street, Pattern Maker
Lucier, Louis F., 125 Franklin Street, Shoemaker
Lufler, Hiram H., 20 Pond Street, Retired
Lynde, Clarence S., 348 Main Street, Clerk

Meade, Maurice, 84 Main Street, Retired
Merrill, Chester F., 25 Flint Avenue, Shoemaker
Messer, Myron W., 346 Main Street, Retired
Moody, Charles A., 109 Central Street, Grocer
Mulroney, Thomas A., 73 Franklin Street, Contractor
Munger, Edmund C., 114 Central Street, Electrotyper
Murphy, John F., 25 Summer Street, Salesman
Newhall, Arthur N., 50 Gould Street, Shoe Stock
Newhall, Chester A., 93 Washington Street, Bookkeeper
Newhall, George W., 50 Gould Street, Shoe Stock
Outram, Albert W., 169 Franklin Street, Farmer
Parks, Frank E., 76 Summer Street, Gypsy Moth Work
Parks, William G., 46 Benton Street, Shoemaker
Parks, Abijah E., 76 Summer Street, Shoemaker
Parsons, Charles H., 46 Gould Street, Stock Fitter
Patch, Ralph R., 13 Lincoln Street, Sanitary Engineer
Peacock, Alfred T., 6 Rafferty Street, Shoe Cutter
Poor, Daniel W., 79 Franklin Street, Electrician
Rhoades, Alfred P., 5 Winthrop Street, Assessor
Rice, Arthur W., 320 Main Street, News Dealer
Richardson, William H., Parkway, Shoe Cutter
Roberts, Israel R., 42 Hancock Street, Shoemaker
Sheridan, Robert E., 285 Main Street, Caterer
Smith, Edward M., Jr., 19 Curve Road, Mason
Steele, Clifford C., 26 Main Street, Milkman
Steele, Fred, 6½ Hersam Street, Shoe Cutter
Sullivan, Timothy, 17 Pine Street, Retired
Swain, Joseph L., 24 Washington Street, Stock Fitter
Tarr, Walter M. P., 10 Gilmore Street, Electrician
Terry, Arthur N., 61 Hancock Street, Chemist
Theobald, Alfred N., 196 Main Street, Railroad
Tidd, John B., 25 North Street, Farmer
Trombetta, Guy, 15 Pleasant Street, Barber
Wadsworth, Edward I., 432 Main Street, Merchant
Wentworth, Edwin J., 51 Elm Street, Shoe Cutter
Wallace, Henry D., 14 Pond Street, Retired

Whitcher, Milton D., 11 Emerson Street, Stock Cutter
Wilson, Justin W., 104 Pond Street, Farmer
Woodward, Wallace W., 82 Pleasant Street, Shoe Cutter

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

Town Meetings

MONDAY, March 3, 1913.

Charles A. Owen was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk

Frank E. Parks, Milton D. Whitcher, Charles P. Brawley, William J. Finnegan, Clarence S. Lynde, Alonzo R. Parks, James E. Fulton and James H. Fitzpatrick, Tellers, having been appointed by the Selectmen as required by law, were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk

The official ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks who receipted for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected, the register set at 0, locked and the keys given in charge of the Constable, after which the polls were declared open under article 2.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourn, it be until Wednesday, March 19, 1913, to meet in Armory Hall at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Voted, To close the polls under this article at four o'clock in the afternoon

By unanimous consent of the Moderator and Town Clerk, the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Moderator appointed the following additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots: Charles V. Blackburn, Carl Whitehouse, Joseph Belcher, Patrick Halpin, Thomas M. Thornton, Daniel P. Hurld, George A. Hersam, John R. Wall, William H. Thompson, James L. Keating, Earle MacAnanny and Frank J. Reynolds, who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Three "Holt Counting Apparatus" were used in counting the ballots, two Republican and two Democratic Tellers assigned to each.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with the vote previously taken, the Moderator declared the polls closed, at which time the ballot box registered 1187 as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check list at the gate had the names of eleven hundred and eighty-seven persons checked as having received ballots:

Men	1170
Women	17

The check lists at the ballot box had the names of eleven hundred and eighty-seven persons checked as having voted:

Men	1170
Women	17

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Moderator was eleven hundred and eighty-seven:

Men	1170
Women	17

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted by the Tellers appointed for that purpose, and the same tabulated and proven, the tally sheets signed by the Tellers and the total sheet signed by the Moderator, and the blocks of ballots sealed and signed, declaration of the same was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

Whole number		1187
Men	1170	
Women	17	

TOWN TREASURER

W. Padilla Gray	776
S. C. Trull	1
John W. Kelly	1
Fred H. Chase	1
Blank	391

SELECTMEN

Leander V. Colahan	447
L. B. Renfrew Gray	561
George A. Hinchcliffe	462
James A. Jones	320
Arthur S. Parker	520
Hervey H. Patten	150
Willie H. White	487
E. M. Fox	1
Blank	562

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Walter C. Bancroft	794
John G. Beede	808
Sylvester A. Lawrence	797
Hines, J. L.	2
Boyle, John A.	3
A. Perry	1
G. A. Hersam	1
Blank	1104

CONSTABLES

Sumner H. Green	798
James J. Scally	834
John C. C. Small	787
J. W. Kelley	1
Blank	1089

AUDITORS

Fred H. Chase	498
Lester D. Holden	482
Arthur F. Keenan	384
C. Frank Munger	501
John A. Boyle	1
Blank	474

TAX COLLECTOR

Sylvester A. Lawrence	822
J. W. Cutts	1
Arad Gerry	1
Blank	346

TREE WARDEN

George M. Jefts	789
Thomas McDonough	1
James Cullen	1
Augustus Perry	1
Blank	378

ASSESSOR

George W. Newhall	803
Blank	367

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS

James A. Jones	593
William H. Lamb	11
John A. Boyle	6
A. S. Hovey	1
L. Bent	1
S. C. Trull	1
L. D. Holden	1
R. R. Patch	1
L. L. Gove	1
J. C. Cutts	1
J. O'Brien	1

J. Best	1
Willie H. White	1
A. Perry	1
P. H. Howe	1
G. A. Hinchcliffe	1
Blank	547

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Claude E. Patch	752
L. Bent	1
A. Perry	1
J. A. Boyle	1
Blank	432

BOARD OF HEALTH

John A. Boyle	231
James Blenkhorn.	36
Scattering	79
Blank	824

PARK COMMISSIONER

Sylvester A. Lawrence	710
W. A. Brooks	1
G. M. Jefts	1
Blank	458

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Charles Chase	697
Cora E. Dike	660
A. Perry	1
W. B. Snow	1
W. A. Brooks	1
J. W. Cutts	1
E. R. Martin	1
F. B. Hamill	1
Hugh Hamill	1
Blank	976

TRUSTEE OF LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

Winfred Dike	724
John A. Boyle	1
Blank	445

"Shall Licenses be Granted for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

Yes	279
No	767
Blank	124
Majority "No"	488

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory Hall Wednesday, March 19, 1913, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, March 19, 1913.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 3

Chose, L. B. Renfrew Gray, Arthur S. Parker and Willie H. White, Fence Viewers, for the year ensuing.

Chose, Charles W. Messer and Frank H. Reynolds, Undertakers for the year ensuing.

Voted, That the appointment of Pound Keeper, Field Drivers, Measurers of Leather, Measurers of Wood and Bark, and Weighers of Coal and Hay be left with the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 4

Voted, To accept the reports of Town Officers and Committees as printed, dated December 31, 1913.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PROPER FIRE PROTECTION FOR PUBLIC RECORDS

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Your Committee appointed at the annual meeting in March 1912, have attended to the duty assigned and report as follows:

The present fire protection for our public records is in our judgment inadequate; many important papers and plans which should be in fireproof safes or vaults being now from necessity on racks or in wooden cases; the sewer and water plans, which are made in duplicate, are now kept in one safe, and in case of loss by fire would leave the town without any record; the block system or plans for the use of the Assessors and others, which will be of great value to the town, will consist of many plans showing every lot of land in the town, which will soon be completed, should be properly protected against fire; all card indexes which have meant many days labor, should be protected, and as the town offices are now housed, means purchasing more safes, for which we have no room, or having a fireproof vault built in the basement of the building, which would be very inconvenient; and your committee believe that the time has come that some move should be made toward a municipal building; and in view of the fact that the Commonwealth is erecting an armory for Co. H, and in consequence the present armory building will be abandoned by the state, and it being the property of the town, free and clear from any debt, your committee respectfully recommend that a committee be appointed by this meeting to investigate and report to the town at its earliest convenience, the advisability of erecting, on the easterly end of the armory lot, at the corner of Main street and Flint avenue, a fireproof building to replace a portion of the present building, to be used for town purposes, and be equipped with fireproof vaults and

appliances necessary to properly protect all records and documents, and of sufficient size to accommodate all town offices, with power to procure plans and estimates.

GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
H. H. PATTEN,
JOHN BEST,
W. PADILLA GRAY,
GEORGE N. GREEN,
Committee

Stoneham, March 19, 1913.

Voted, To accept the report and adopt the recommendations of the committee.

Voted, That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to carry out the recommendations of the committee.

Voted, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair to nominate a committee of nine to serve as the Finance and Advisory Board for the year ensuing.

Under the authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed the following nominating committee: Sidney A. Hill, George R. Barnstead, Wilfred A. Smith.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, That the recommendations as reported by the Finance Committee under Article 5 be accepted and adopted as the appropriations for the different purposes and departments named in said article for the year ensuing.

The sums to be raised and appropriated under the foregoing vote are as follows:

Military Aid	$100.00
Lindenwood Cemetery, Receipts	
Old Burying Ground	35.00
Debt, Sewer Bonds, June 1, 1913	5,000.00
School Bonds, June 1, 1913	3,000.00
Playground Bond, May 1, 1913	1,000.00
Water Bonds, May 1, 1913	5,000.00

Interest	$6,600.00
Electric Lighting, Balance, $292.84 and	5,405.00
Rent of Town Offices, Receipts and	672.00
Printing 2,000 Town Reports	450.00
Soldiers' Relief	2,500.00
Miscellaneous	3,000.00
Care of Shade Trees	250.00
Poor Department, Receipts and	5,500.00
Schools, Unex. Bal. $1,083.72, Receipts and	36,700.00
Police	4,400.00
School Physician	150.00
Highways, Receipts, Excise Tax and	6,250.00
Repairs to Concrete	750.00
Breaking Snow, unexp. balance $203.15 and	300.00
Fire Department	5,500.00
Salaries, Town Clerk	700.00
Clerk Board Public Works	300.00
Auditors	300.00
Overseers of Poor	400.00
Board of Health	175.00
Assessors	1,000.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	200.00
Selectmen	300.00
Tax Collector	650.00
Inspector of Plumbing	300.00
Moderator	25.00
Town Treasurer	500.00
Board of Public Works	300.00
Registrars of Voters	125.00
Janitor of Town Offices	150.00
Inspector of Milk	100.00
Agent of Board of Health	50.00

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance of $40.00 from appropriation to repair house on playground from 1912 and the unexpended balance of $29.01 from appropriation to grade playground and $35.54 from miscel-

laneous fund, to pay balance due contractor for work on Playground in 1912.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer be authorized to sell three water bonds of the denomination of $1,000 each, the issue of which has been authorized by the town and to appropriate from the proceeds of said bonds the sum of $2,500, to pay deficit in water construction in the year 1912.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance from the year 1912 amounting to $186.57 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $338.43 for decoration of Soldiers' Graves and other purposes the ensuing year.

ARTICLES 7 and 8

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance from the year 1912, amounting to $59.58 and the receipts, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,700 and appropriate the money received from the dog tax for the purchase of books and support of the Public Library and Reading Room the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate one hundred and ten thousand dollars ($110,000) and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ARTICLE 10

Voted, To pay the premium on the Town Treasurer's bond for the present year and to appropriate the sum of $50.00 from the miscellaneous account for the purpose.

ARTICLE 11

Voted, To authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes, which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

ARTICLE 12

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall the coming year, when not otherwise engaged, to the following organizations: Post 75, G. A. R., six evenings; Leon E. Warren Camp 31, U. S. W. V., five evenings; High School Alumni Association, one evening; Stoneham High School Cadets, two evenings; Senior Class in the High School, one evening; Stoneham Fire Department, one evening; Stoneham High School Athletic Association, one evening.

ARTICLE 13

Voted, That all taxes not exceeding three dollars in amount shall be due and payable on demand. On all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount, one and one-half per cent. discount shall be allowed if paid on or before the tenth day of September; if paid on or before the tenth day of October, one per cent. discount shall be allowed; if paid on or before the tenth day of November, one-half of one per cent. discount shall be allowed, and all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount shall be due and payable on the tenth day of December the current year. On and after December tenth interest shall be charged on all unpaid taxes, at the rate of five per cent. per annum. On the fifteenth day of February following, the Collector shall proceed to collect taxes of all delinquents according to law. Interest and discount shall be reckoned on even dollars.

ARTICLE 14

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $2,104.35 for the purpose of continuing the work of destroying the

eggs, pupæ and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the highways and public lands of the town.

ARTICLE 15

Voted, To appropriate the sums received by taxation of private property, assessed on such property by reason of destroying the eggs, pupæ and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the town; said appropriation to be expended the present year for the same purpose; and all such sums expended to be assessed upon the owners of property benefited.

ARTICLES 17 and 21

Voted, To oil the following streets the year ensuing: Main street from Marble street to Elm street; Central street from Central square to William street; Church street; Common street; Tidd street; Winter street; Montvale avenue from Main street to the westerly line of land late of Georgianna Boyce; Pleasant street from Main street to the easterly line of land of C. M. Boyce & Son; Maple street from Main street to Park street, and Chestnut street from Maple street to Hersam street.

Voted, That the assessment on abuttors for oiling streets as voted, be six cents per lineal foot.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $400 to pay any charges over the assessment levied for oiling streets.

ARTICLE 18

To see if the town will vote to elect its selectmen at the next annual election in the following manner: One for the term of one year, one for the term of two years and one for the term of three years, and at each annual meeting thereafter, elect one for the term of three years, as provided in Chapter 560, Section 367, of the Acts of the year 1907.

A motion was made to indefinitely postpone the subject matter of this article, which being tried, was declared

lost. Voted, Yes 75, No 140. A motion was made "That the town do elect its selectmen at the next annual election in the following manner: One for the term of one year, one for the term of two years and one for the term of three years and at each annual meeting thereafter, elect one for the term of three years," which being tried was declared lost. Voting, Yes 122, No 157.

ARTICLE 19

Voted, To authorize the Selectmen to retain counsel for the ensuing year and that any expense incurred for such purpose be paid from miscellaneous account.

ARTICLE 20

Voted, To accept and adopt the following by-law as authorized by Chapter 308, Acts of 1912:

"One hundred and fifty (150) legal voters shall constitute a quorum at all town meetings called for the transaction of town business other than election of town officers."

ARTICLE 22

Voted, To relay with a twelve inch iron main, the cement main in and through Main street from Maple street to Montvale avenue.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell four water bonds of the denomination of $1,000 each, the issue of which has been authorized by the town and to appropriate the proceeds from the sale of said bonds to relay the twelve inch water main in and through Main street as voted.

ARTICLE 27

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Elwood avenue from East street to Cedarway, thence in and through Cedarway northerly to Cross street, upon condition that the abuttors give proper releases to the town and

file a satisfactory bond guaranteeing an income equal to 8 per cent. on the cost of construction.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell one water bond of the denomination of $1,000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of $560, to lay the water main in and through Elwood avenue and Cedarway as voted.

ARTICLE 31

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Harrison street from the present main therein, northerly to Franklin street, and to appropriate the sum of $340 from the proceeds of the bond voted under Article 27 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 32

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance from the appropriation for the collection of ashes and garbage in the year 1912, amounting to 476.01 to pay for collections as per contract. until May 1, 1913, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $1365 to pay for collection from May 1, 1913, to May 1, 1914.

ARTICLE 33

Voted, To construct a sewer in and through Perkins street, from the present sewer therein northerly to Franklin street, and to appropriate from funds in sewer construction account in the hands of the Town Treasurer, the sum of $900 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 34

Voted, That all work for water and sewer construction voted for under articles in this warrant, be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder. Voting Yes, 122; No, 99.

ARTICLE 36

Voted, To construct a sidewalk on Broadway from High street westerly to Main street, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for the purpose.

ARTICLE 38

Voted, To install 250 water meters, all of one make, the ensuing year.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell two water bonds of the denomination of $1000 each, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the proceeds from the sale of said bonds, and appropriate the balance necessary from funds in Treasurer's hands for the purchase of the meters voted under this article.

ARTICLE 39

Voted, That the matter of maintaining drains under highways be referred to the Board of Public Works, and any outlay therefor be paid from the highway appropriation.

ARTICLE 42

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for street railings and repairs to the same the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 44

Voted, That the compensation paid laborers by the town shall be $2.25 per day.

ARTICLE 45

Voted, To macadam Perkins street from Orris street to Franklin street, and to raise and anpropriate the sum of $1730 for the same. To be let by contract.

ARTICLES 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54

Voted, To concrete the sidewalks on the following streets, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws:

47. Westerly side of Summer street from Franklin street to a point at land of James Keating, and raise and appropriate $135.

48. Easterly side of Warren street and northerly side of Gerry street, and raise and appropriate $67.50.

49. Northerly side of Franklin street, from westerly bound of land of Esther M. DeWolf, easterly to Isabella street, and raise and appropriate $70.

50. Southerly side of Winthrop street, from Warren street westerly to existing walk at land of Harriet I. Hayward, and raise and appropriate $19.00.

51. Easterly side of Wright street, from existing walk thereon, southerly to Hancock street, and raise and appropriate $30.

52. Westerly side of Lincoln street, from Hancock street to the northerly line of driveway on land of E. L. Patch, and raise and appropriate $25.

53. Easterly side of Avon street from the existing walk thereon, northerly to Myrtle street, and on the southerly side of Myrtle street easterly to the easterly boundary line of land of Harry Moulton, and raise and appropriate $50.

54. Easterly side of Keene street from northerly line of land of Caroline W. Chapin, southerly to the southerly line of land of Susie Smith, and raise and appropriate $70.

ARTICLE 57

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Board of Public Works, with instructions to fill land for sidewalk abutting land of Eugene Doherty and land of Daniel E. Quinlan, and the expense to be paid from the highway appropriation.

ARTICLE 59

Voted, To construct a gravel walk on the easterly side of Main street abutting land of Charlotte P. Holden, and raise and appropriate the sum of $50 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 60

Voted, To refer the installation of incandescent elec-

tric lights on the following streets, the same to be installed provided that the appropriation for street lighting is sufficient to pay for the same: One on the corner of Main street and Wilson road; one on Hersam street near the house of Ernest S. Frazier; two on North street between Main street and the Wakefield line; one on Cottage street near the residence of Nellie F. Wright; one on Forest street near the residence of Mr. Pingree; one on Emerald court opposite No. 14; one on Pond street northerly from Phinney's Terrace; two on Main street between North street and the Reading line.

ARTICLE 61

Voted, To refer the matter of the installation of an electric arc light on William street near the High School, opposite property of Mary Souther, to the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 62

Voted, To place the fire alarm wires on Main street from Marble street to Union street under ground, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $525 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 63

Voted, To purchase 1000 feet of hose for the Fire Department, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for that purpose.

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a committee to purchase the hose voted under this article.

ARTICLE 64

Voted, To purchase and install a universal fire alarm box, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $255 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 65

Voted To repair and paint the house occupied by

engine No. 1, and combination A, and raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 67

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for an evening school the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 70

Voted, To accept the fund from the estate of Matilda M. Dale for the care of the soldiers lot in Lindenwood Cemetery.

ARTICLE 71

Voted, To concrete the crossing on Main street at Union street, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $30 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 72

Voted, To repair the culvert under Summer street near the residence of Bridget M. Maguire so as to properly take the water from land south of said street, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $150 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 73

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $1000 and to appropriate from funds in sewer maintenance account in Treasurer's hands, the sum of $900 for maintenance of sewers the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 74

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance from the year 1912, amounting to the sum of $178.82 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $221.18 for the necessary expenses of the Board of Health for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 75

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance of $200 appropriated under authority of Chapter 49, Revised Laws

in April, 1912, said sum to be at the disposal of the Board of Health to make sewer connections for the ensuing year.

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory Hall, Wednesday, March 26, 1913, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, March, 26, 1913.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 4

The committee appointed March 19, 1913, to nominate a Finance and Advisory Committee reported the following: Edgar L. Patch, Anders C. Christensen, James Lister, Oliver W. Richardson, John Walsh, Maurice H. McKenna, William H. Arnold, Hugh Hamill, Alexander B. Wilson.

Voted, To accept the report of the committee and that the persons nominated act as the Finance and Advisory Committee for the ensuing year.

Under authority of a vote passed March 19, 1913, the moderator appointed the following as a committee to investigate and report to the town at its earliest convenience the advisability of erecting on the easterly end of the armory lot at the corner of Main street and Flint avenue, a fire proof building to replace a portion of the present building, to be used for town purposes and to be equipped with fire proof vaults and appliances necessary to properly protect all records and documents and of sufficient size to accommodate all town offices, with power to procure plans and estimates: Alexander B. Wilson, Stephen P. Finnegan, L. B. Renfrew Gray, John Johnston, Ira B. Forbes.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, To appropriate from receipts for water, the sum of $200 for salary of Water Registrar.

ARTICLE 76

To see if the town will vote to construct a drain in Gould street from near the residence of Arthur N. Newhall westerly to the brook at the railroad crossing, with two catch basins on Summer street to be connected with said drain and necessary catch basins on Gould street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

A motion to indefinitely postpone the subject matter of this article being tried was declared lost. A motion "To lay a drain from a point near the house of George A. Gilbert to Gould street and on Gould street west, a distance of 265 feet," being tried was declared lost.

ARTICLE 34

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed March 19, 1913, whereby it was voted, "That all work for water and sewer construction voted for under articles in this warrant be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder." The original question being tried was declared lost.

ARTICLE 22

Voted, That the water main voted under this article be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

ARTICLE 33

Voted, That the sewer voted under this article be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

ARTICLE 79

Voted, To locate a hydrant on Spring street near Eustis street and to appropriate from funds received from sale of bonds not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $80 therefor.

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department and the Board of Public Works be a committee to carry the foregoing vote into effect.

ARTICLE 4

Voted, That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to consider the matter of a band stand and location for the same. Under the authority of the foregoing vote the moderator appointed the following: Sidney A. Hill, Bernard H. Cogan, Claude E. Patch, Mrs. George W. Nickerson and Miss Ida FitzGerald.

ARTICLE 81

Voted, To appropriate the unexpended balance from the appropriation of 1912, amounting to $1,000 to be used to complete the contract for a survey of the town.

ARTICLE 82

Voted, To appropriate from the appropriation of 1912, the sum of $5,900 to settle the account due for the Auto Combination Fire Truck.

ARTICLE 84

Voted, To repair the bridge on Central street near the residence of Arthur W. Chamberlain and to raise and appropriate the sum of $150 for that purpose.

ARTICLE 85

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $225 to repair the ceiling of the sewing room at the Dean school.

ARTICLE 86

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $575 to lay new floors in the Dean school.

ARTICLE 87

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $200 to paint the South school house.

ARTICLE 89

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $175 to paint the outside woodwork of the High school building.

ARTICLE 90

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $225 to retint the walls of the high school building.

ARTICLE 91

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of $600 to install sanitaries in the high school building.

ARTICLE 92

Voted, To authorize the Selectmen to bring suit under Chapter 689 of the Acts of the year 1912, being an act entitled "An Act to provide for determining the damages to be paid to the Town of Stoneham by reason of the taking of Spot pond for the Metropolitan water works.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, To raise the sum of $4,250 to cover the appropriations voted May 2nd and July 3rd and October 16, 1912.

ARTICLE 29

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed March 19, 1913, whereby it was voted, "To indefinitely postpone the subject matter of this article."

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Stevens street, from the present main therein, northerly for a distance of 150 feet, and to appropriate the sum of $175 from the proceeds of bonds already voted to be sold, for that purpose.

ARTICLE 4

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a committee to carry into effect the votes passed March 19, 1913, under articles 62, 64, 65.

Voted, To adjourn.

Town Meeting

MONDAY, March 31, 1913.

ARTICLE 1

Charles A. Owen chosen Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 2

To vote Yes or No by Australian ballot on the following question: Shall Chapter 273 of the Acts of the Legislature in the year 1913, entitled "An Act to Establish the Office of Superintendent of Public Works of the Town of Stoneham" be accepted and adopted.

Frank E. Parks, Milton D. Whitcher, Clarence S. Lynde, E. Duncan Clark, Charles P. Brawley, William J. Finnegan, James E. Fulton and James H. Fitzpatrick, Tellers, having been appointed by the Selectmen as required by law, were sworn to the the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

The official ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected, the register set at 0, locked and the keys given in charge of the Constable, after which the polls were declared open under article 2.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourn, it be until Wednesday, April 2, 1913, to meet in Armory Hall at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Voted, That the polls be closed under this article at nine o'clock in the evening.

The Moderator appointed Clarence S. Lynde temporary chairman during his absence.

By unanimous consent of the Moderator and Town Clerk, the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Moderator appointed as Tellers to assort and count ballots the following: Edward Perry, E. Howard Smith, Francis S. Desmond, Peter J. Welch, who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

At nine o'clock in the evening, in accordance with the vote previously taken, the Moderator declared the polls closed, at which time the ballot box registered 888 as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check list at the gate had the names of 888 persons checked as having received ballots.

The number of ballots given out by Ballot Clerks was 888.

The number of ballots not given out and returned to the Town Clerk was 1112.

The check list at the ballot box had the names of 888 persons checked as having voted.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Moderator was 888.

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted by the Tellers appointed for that purpose, the same tabulated and proven, the tally sheets signed by the Tellers and the total tally sheet signed by the Moderator, and the blocks of ballots sealed and signed, declaration of the same was made as follows:

Yes	497	
No	385	
Blank	6	
Necessary to accept the act		445

And the necessary number of all the ballots cast being yes a majority thereof, it was declared that the said Chapter 273 was accepted and adopted.

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory Hall Wednesday, April 2, 1913, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

CHAPTER 273

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN

AN ACT

To Establish the Office of Superintendent of Public Works of the Town of Stoneham.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. The office of Commissioners of Public Works of the town of Stoneham, established by Chapter two hundred and sixty-three of the year nineteen hundred and two, is hereby abolished.

SEC. 2. All the powers, duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law on the said Commissioners of Public Works are hereby transferred to the Board of Selectmen of the said town, excepting that the powers, duties and liabilities of the said Commissioners of Public Works in respect to the construction, maintenance and repair of streets, ways, bridges, sidewalks, monuments at the termini and angles of roads, guide posts, drains, water mains and services, or any pipes and fixtures through which water is supplied, and common and particular sewers, are hereby transferred to the Superintendent of Public Works hereinafter provided for, who shall exclusively have the powers, perform the duties and be subject to the liabilities and penalties of Selectmen, Surveyors of Highways, Water Commissioners and Sewer Commissioners, with respect to the said matters.

SEC. 3. Upon the acceptance of this act, as hereinafter provided, the Selectmen of the town shall appoint a Superintendent of Public Works, who shall be a person specially fitted by education, training or experience to perform the work evolving upon. In making the appoint-

ment, the selectmen, or a majority of them, shall sign a certificate in the following form:

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

We hereby appoint (name of appointee) to the position of Superintendent of Public Works of the town of Stoneham, and certify that in our opinion he is a person specially fitted by education, training or experience to perform the duties of that office.

SEC. 4. The certificate shall be filed with the Town Clerk, who shall thereupon forward a certified copy to the civil service commission. The commission shall immediately make a careful inquiry into the qualifications of the nominee under such rules as they may, with the consent of the governor and council, establish, and, if they conclude that he is a competent person with the requisite qualifications, they shall file with the Town Clerk a certificate, signed by a majority at least of the commission, that they have made a careful inquiry into the qualifications of the appointee, and that in their opinion he is qualified for the office by education, training or experience, as the case may be, and that they approve the appointment. Upon the filing of this certificate, the appointment shall become operative, subject, however, to all provisions of law or by-laws of said town in regard to acceptance of office, oath of office and the filing of bonds. If the commission does not within thirty days after receipt of the said notice file said certificate with the Town Clerk, the appointment shall be void.

SEC. 5. The Superintendent of Public Works shall hold office for a period of three years from the date when his appointment becomes operative by the filing of said certificate by the civil service commission, and until his successor is chosen and qualified. Thereafter there shall be appointed every third year, by the Board of Selectmen, in the manner provided in sections three and four of this

act, a Superintendent of Public Works, who shall hold office for the same period and shall possess the qualifications and be subject to the confirmation provided for in sections three and four of this act, except, however, that if a person holding the office is reappointed, the approval of the civil service commission shall not be required.

SEC. 6. The Superintendent of public works shall be sworn to the faithful and impartial performance of his duties by the chairman of the Board of Selectmen of the town or by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace and shall receive such compensation for his services as the Board of Selectmen may determine, and shall be subject to such instructions, rules and regulations as the town may impose by its vote.

SEC. 7. A majority of the Board of Selectmen may remove the Superintendent of Public Works by filing a written statement with the Town Clerk setting forth in detail the specific reasons for his removal, a copy of which shall be delivered or mailed to said Superintendent; provided, however, that, if the Superintendent so requests, a hearing shall be given him. The decision of a majority of the Selectmen made after the hearing shall be final.

SEC. 8. Any vacancy in the office of Superintendent of Public Works shall be filled in the manner provided in sections three and four of this act, for the remainder of the term. Pending such appointment, the Board of Selectmen may designate a person to perform the duties of the office temporarily.

SEC. 9. This act shall take full effect upon its acceptance by a majority vote of the voters of the town of Stoneham present and voting thereon by check list or Australian ballot, at an annual or special town meeting in the warrant for which the question of the acceptance of the act was inserted as one of the articles of business; and for the purpose of such acceptance this act shall take effect upon its passage.

House of Representatives, March 6, 1913.
Passsd to be enacted.
GRAFTON D. CUSHING, Speaker.
In Senate, March 7, 1913.
Passed to be enacted.
LEVI H. GREENWOOD, President.
March 8, 1913.
Approved, EUGENE N. FOSS.
Office of the Secretary
BOSTON, MASS., March 10, 1913.
A true copy,
Witness the Great Seal of the Commonwealth,
(Great Seal) FRANK J. DONAHUE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
Copy Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, April 2, 1913.
Meeting called to order by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 3

Voted, That the location of incandescent lights on Elm street, Norval avenue and Garden road be referred to the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 5

A motion "To authorize the Park Commissioners to move the house situated on the Playground, from its present location to a location on Pomeworth street between Capen street and the railroad at cost not to exceed $1200, being tried was declared lost.

ARTICLE 8

Voted, To construct a sidewalk on the southerly side of East street, from the existing walk thereon near the

residence of Andrew Christensen, easterly to the Wakefield town line, a distance of 550 feet, and erect 250 feet of railing thereon, and raise and appropriate the sum of $350 for the same.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, to grade and repair Isabella street, the matter being referred to the Selectmen, and the expense to be paid from the highway appropriation.

Voted, To adjourn.

BY-LAW, QUORUM AT TOWN MEETINGS

One hundred and fifty (150) legal voters shall constitute a quorum at all town meetings called for the transaction of town business other than the election of town officers.

A true copy,

Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

BOSTON, MASS., March 26, 1913,

I approve the foregoing by-law.

JAMES M. SWIFT, Attorney General.

A true copy,

Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk,

I hereby certify that the foregoing by-law was advertised in the Stoneham Independent, March 29, April 5 and April 12, 1913.

GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, July 16, 1913.

Charles Thompson was elected moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 2

Voted, That the town do purchase a pair of horses,

double cart and set of double harnesses, and to appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the same.

ARTICLE 3

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed March 26, 1913, whereby it was voted "That the relaying of the water main in Main street be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

Voted, That specifications for the relaying the water main in Main street be prepared and submitted for bids, any or all of which may be rejected if higher than an estimate made by the Superintendent of Public Works, filed with the Selectmen and opened with the bids. If a bid lower than the estimate is submitted by a responsible bidder, the contract shall be awarded to such bidder.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, That the fountain now standing in Central square be removed and relocated on the east side of Central street midway between Tidd and Common streets.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for the purpose of moving and relocating the fountain in Central square to a location on Central street, to include placing an incandescent lamp to light the vicinity of the fountain.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, That the unexpended balances from the appropriations for Summer street drain and Central street bridge be transferred to an appropriation for Lindenwood road bridge, and to appropriate in addition the sum of fifty dollars.

ARTICLE 8

Voted, That the installation of incandescent electric lights, one at the corner of Linden and Warren streets; one on Green street near the residence of Patrick C.

Devaney, and one on Spring street near Spring lane, be referred to the Selectmen with full powers.

ARTICLE 2

Voted, That the Selectmen and Veterinary Surgeon George H. Allen be a committee to purchase the horses, cart and harnesses as voted.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, That the town do lay a water main in and through North street from the main therein westerly for a distance of 1250 feet, upon receipt of a guarantee from Mr. Hall of an annual payment of $50.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer be authorized to sell one water bond of the denomination of $1000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the proceeds from the sale of such bond, and in addition the sum of $100 from funds in the water department, to lay water main in and through North street as voted.

Voted, To adjourn.

Bay State Street Railway Company

PETITION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham:

Respectfully represents your petitioner, the Bay State Street Railway Company, a corporation duly established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and doing business in the Town of Stoneham, that it desires an alteration and relocation of its tracks in said Stoneham, and that public safety, convenience and necessity require the same.

Wherefore, it respectfully petitions your Honorable Board for an alteration of location in Main street, from Hersam street to Montvale avenue, to wit, that the space

between the inner rails of the two tracks, now four feet four inches, be changed to five feet, all to the satisfaction of the Board of Selectmen and approval of the Board of Railroad Commissioners, and substantially as shown on plan to be filed for the hearing to be held hereon.

And to erect, place, maintain and use such poles, wires and other appliances as are usual and necessary in the overhead trolley system of street car propulsion, and to propel cars by such system over the said tracks with electricity as the motive power, or to use such other motive power as the laws of this Commonwealth permit and the Board of Selectmen shall from time to time approve, and to make such underground and surface alterations in the ways through which this alteration of location and relocation is granted as may be necessary.

BAY STATE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,
By P. F. Sullivan, President.

STONEHAM, MASS., June 30, 1913.

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Selectmen will hold a public hearing on the foregoing petition in the town office, No. 5 Hill's Block, Monday, July 21, 1913, at eight o'clock p.m.

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

STONEHAM, MASS., July 5, 1913.

GRANT OF LOCATION

IN BOARD OF SELECTMEN, TOWN OF STONEHAM

July 21, 1913.

Upon petition of the Bay State Street Railway Company dated June 30th, 1913, for an alteration and relocation of its tracks in Main street from Hersam street to Montvale avenue, to wit, that the space between the inner

rails of the two tracks, now four feet four inches, be changed to five feet in said Stoneham with necessary poles therefor, as therein petitioned, due notice having been given and a hearing held as required by law, it is

Ordered, that the petition be granted subject to all the conditions of the original grant of location, subject to general provisions of law applicable thereto.

The location of tracks and poles to be as shown on plan of the Road Department of said Company, dated July 21st, 1913, numbered L-4554, duly approved thereon by this Board, and made a part of this order.

L. B. Renfrew Gray,
Arthur S. Parker,
Willie H. White,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

APPROVAL OF LOCATION

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Public Service Commission

(P. S. C. 74) August 21, 1913.

Petition of the Bay State Street Railway Company for approval of location in Stoneham.

After notice and hearing and full consideration, it is

Ordered, That the Commission hereby certify that the relocation of the tracks of the Bay State Street Railway in Main street, from Hersam street to Montvale avenue, in the town of Stoneham, established under an order of the Selectmen of said town dated July 21, 1913, a copy of which order, with accompanying plan, is on file in this office, is consistent with the public interests.

Attest:

(Signed) Allan Brooks, Assistant Secretary.

(Public Service Commission Seal)

A true copy,

Attest: Allan Brooks, Assistant Secretary.

ACCEPTANCE OF LOCATION

To the Honorable the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham:

The Bay State Street Railway Company hereby accept, subject to and in accordance with all general laws thereto applicable, the alteration and relocation of its tracks in Main street, from Hersam street to Montvale avenue, in the town of Stoneham, established under an order of the Selectmen of said town dated July 21, 1913, and certified by the Honorable the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to be consistent with the public interests in its order dated August 21, 1913.

Bay State Street Railway Company,
By Charles Williams, Clerk.

Boston, August 27, 1913.

DIRECTORS' VOTE

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bay State Street Railway Company, duly called and held on the twenty-seventh day of August, 1913, at which a majority of the Directors was present, the acceptance of relocation to which this certificate is attached was read and considered and that a vote of which the following is a true copy was passed:

Voted, That this Company accept the alteration and relocation for its tracks in Main street, from Hersam street to Montvale avenue, in the town of Stoneham, established under an order of the Selectmen of said town dated July 21, 1913, and certified by the Honorable the Board of Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to be consistent with the public interests in its order dated August 21, 1913, and that the Clerk be and hereby he is authorized and directed in the name of this Company to sign the acceptance which has just been read of said relocation, and to attach to said acceptance a

copy of this vote and to file the said acceptance with the Selectmen of said town.

Attest,
CHARLES WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Superintendent of Public Works

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

We hereby appoint Cornelius J. Sweeney to the position of Superintendent of Public Works of the town of Stoneham, and certify that in our opinion he is a person specially fitted by education, training and experience to perform the duties of that office. The said appointment is for a period of three years from July 1, 1913, and the salary is to be for the first year $1200, for the second year $1350 and for the third year $1500.

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

Stoneham, Mass., June 30, 1913.

I hereby certify that in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 273 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1913, on the ninth day of July 1913, I forwarded to the Civil Service Commission an attested copy of the foregoing Certificate.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

OFFICE OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
ROOMS 151-152 STATE HOUSE

BOSTON, August 7, 1913.

We, the members of the Civil Service Commission, hereby certify that, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 273 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1913, we have made careful inquiry into the qualifications of Cornelius J. Sweeney, a certified copy of whose appointment to

the position of Superintendent of Public Works of Stoneham was received by us from the Town Clerk on July 9, 1913; and we further certify that, in our opinion, the said Cornelius J. Sweeney is qualified by education, training or experience to perform the duties of that office and that we approve the appointment.

THOMAS F. BOYLE,
ELMER L. CURTISS,
GARRETT DROPPERS,
Civil Service Commission.

Received August 8, 1913.

Copy Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

I hereby certify that on the 8th day of August A. D. 1913, personally appeared Cornelius J. Sweeney, who had been appointed Superintendent of Public Works for three years from July 1, 1913, and took the oath of office, as by law required.

GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

Main Street

ORDER OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO MAKE SPECIFIC REPAIRS

STONEHAM, MASS, May 24, 1913.

TO THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Respectfully represents the undersigned, Selectmen in the town of Stoneham in said county, that Main street in said town from its junction with Marble street northerly to its junction with Franklin street at Stoneham square, is in need of specific repairs.

Wherefore, We pray that you will after due proceedings direct specific repairs on said street.

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge in said county, on the first Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, to wit, by adjournment at Cambridge on the twenty-ninth day of May A.D., 1913.

On the foregoing petition

Ordered, That the Sheriff of said county, or his Deputy, give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Selectmen's room in Stoneham in said county, on Thursday the tenth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, by serving the Clerk of the town of Stoneham with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the Stoneham Independent, a newspaper printed in said county, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in said town of Stoneham fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

RALPH N. SMITH, Assistant Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon,

Attest: RALPH N. SMITH, Assistant Clerk.

A true copy,

Attest: LYMAN H. RICHARDS, Deputy Sheriff.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ORDER

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, holden at Cambridge, within and for

said county on the first Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

The inhabitants of Stoneham in said county, by their petition to said Commissioners, among other matters pray that Main street in said town may be ordered specifically repaired from Marble street to Franklin street as will more fully appear, reference being had to the petition filed of record in the case.

The petition was presented to the County Commissioners at their meeting holden at Cambridge, within and for said county, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1913, when and where notice was ordered given to all persons and corporations interested therein, of the time and place when and where said Commissioners would meet for the purpose of hearing the parties and viewing the premises as by their order of notice on file and of record will more fully appear. And at the time of said view and hearing, no person interested objecting, said Commissioners proceeded to order specific repairs without further notice.

And now the said Commissioners make return of their proceedings in the premises as follows: Said Commissioners having given notice as the law directs, met at the Selectmen's room in said Stoneham, on the tenth day of July in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen, when and where the parties appeared.

The premises having been examined, and the parties fully heard, said Commissioners do determine that said Main street shall be specifically repaired in the manner following, to wit:

Said street shall be resurfaced with bituminous macadam from curb to curb including the intersection of said street with Marble street and the State highway, which ends near this point, except the space occupied by the street railway tracks and the paving in connection therewith.

Drainage shall be provided in a thorough and effective manner.

The macadam shall be broken stone averaging six (6) inches in thickness with the top layer bound with heavy asphaltic material or refined tar applied with a pressure machine. The bituminous material to be applied hot at the rate approximately one and one-quarter (1¼) gallons to the square yard at the first application, which shall be covered with screenings and thoroughly rolled. A second application of the bituminous material shall then be made and again covered with screenings and rolled.

The surface shall be smooth and free from inequalities.

And said Commissioners order said specific repairs completed on or before July 1, 1914.

On the completion of all work herein ordered to the acceptance and satisfaction of said Commissioners, there shall be paid out of the County treasury into the Town treasury of Stoneham, the sum of $1000.00 (one thousand dollars.)

And said Commissioners order that said return be accepted and recorded, and that all the matters therein ordered be done and performed accordingly.

In witness whereof, we, the said County Commissioners, have hereunto set our hands this twelfth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

LEVI S. GOULD.
CHESTER B. WILLIAMS.
ROBERT F. MARDEN.

A true copy of record,
Attest: JOHN R. MACKINNON, Assistant Clerk.

Hill Street

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ORDER
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the

County of Middlesex, holden at Cambridge within and for said county, on the first Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

In the matter of Hill street, Stoneham, in which the Commissioners made their return relocating said street, dated 1910, it appears that eighteen (18) feet in width was to be finished for public travel and that the county's share of the expense on the completion of the work to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, was to be two hundred dollars ($200.00.)

It now appears that the town has already expended about eleven hundred dollars ($1100.00) in making changes and alterations due to said relocation, at the entrance of said Hill street from Marble street and the Commissioners find that instead of eighteen (18) feet being necessary for the width of the travelled way, that twelve (12) feet will be sufficient, the road being but slightly used; and the county's share of the expense, two hundred dollars ($200.00) shall be payable when twelve (12) feet of the width of said street is made safe for public travel.

In witness whereof, we, the said County Commissioners have hereunto set our hands this 16th day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

LEVI S. GOULD.
CHESTER B. WILLIAMS.
ROBERT B. MARDEN.

A true copy of record,
Attest: JOHN R. MACKINNON, Assistant Clerk.

Primaries

TUESDAY, September 23, 1913.

Meeting called to order by L. B. Renfrew Gray, Chairman of the Selectmen, and the warrant read by the Town Clerk.

The tellers appointed by the Selectmen to serve at

this meeting were sworn by the Town Clerk and assigned to duty as follows:

Ballot Clerks, Clarence S. Lynde, Republican; Charles P. Brawley, Democrat.

Check list at gate, Charles H. Parsons, Republican; Francis S. Desmond, Democrat.

Check list at ballot box, George W. Newhall, Republican; James H. Fitzpatrick, Democrat.

The packages of ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected and the dial set at 0, locked and the keys given in charge of the Constable.

The Chairman appointed the following additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots: Republican, Alfred N. Theobald, Charles V. Blackburn, George A. Packard, Charles E. Cloutman, Edward Perry; Democratic, James H. Halpin, James J. McLoughlin, Edward L. Breagy, John F. Brosnehan, Frank W. Carter; Progressives, William A. Oppen, Ralph H. Holman, who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

At eight o'clock in the evening the polls were declared closed, at which time the ballot box registered 240 as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check list at the gate contained the names of two hundred and forty persons checked as having received ballots, declaring themselves as follows:

Republicans,	One hundred and forty-eight .	148
Democrats,	Sixty-seven . . .	67
Progressives,	Twenty-five . . .	25

The check list at the ballot box had the names of two hundred and forty persons checked as having voted:

Republicans,	One hundred and forty-eight .	148
Democrats,	Sixty-seven . . .	67
Progressives,	Twenty-five . . .	25

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Chairman was two hundred and forty 240

Republican, One hundred and forty-eight . 148
Democrats, Sixty-seven . . . 67
Progressive, Twenty-five . . . 25

The number of ballots returned to the Town Clerk by the Ballot Clerks was

Republican, Thirteen hundred and fifty-two . 1352
Democratic, Six hundred and eighty-three . 683
Progressive, Six hundred and seventy-five . 675

Three "Holt" counting apparatus were used in counting the ballots.

All the ballots cast by the Republicans having been assorted and counted in accordance with the law, the blocks of ballots sealed, the tally sheets signed, the votes tabulated and the total tally sheet signed by the presiding officer, public declaration of the same was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

Republican, One hundred and forty-eight . 148

GOVERNOR

Everett C. Benton of 75 Oakley road, Belmont 81
Augustus P. Gardner of Main street, Hamilton 61
Blank 6

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

August H. Gœtting of 767 State street, Springfield 125
Blank 23

SECRETARY

William S. Kinney of 52 Westland avenue, Boston 122
Blank 26

TREASURER

Charles S. Burrill of 50 Beacon street, Boston . 103
Maurice Kane of 22 Fullerton avenue, Whitman 21
Blank 24

AUDITOR

John E. White of Greenwood avenue, Tisbury	123
Blank	25

ATTORNEY GENERAL

James M. Swift of 294 French street, Fall River	124
Blank	24

COUNCILLOR, Sixth District

G. Frederick Simpson of 315 Franklin street, Newton	115
Blank	33

SENATOR, Sixth Middlesex District

Wilton B. Fay of 49 Wyman street, Medford	106
C. S. Lynde	1
C. E. Cloutman	1
Blank	40

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirty-first Middlesex District

Arthur N. Newhall of 50 Gould street, Stoneham	120
George A. Hinchcliffe	1
Blank	27

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex

Erson B. Barlow of 127 Pine street, Lowell	44
Frederic P. Barnes of 351 Otis street, Newton	11
Joseph Walter Bowers of 660 Princeton street, Lowell	3
George H. Jennings of 55 Magazine street, Cambridge	14
Frank A. Patch of Littleton	37
Joshua Wilson of 4 Jay street, Cambridge	6
Blank	33

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS, Middlesex County

Joshua Wilson	1
Frederic P. Barnes	3
William D. Brackett	1

Erson B. Barlow	2
W. C. Whitcher	1
C. A. Annis	1
Blank	287

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Northern District

John J. Higgins of 10 Dartmouth street, Somerville	109
Blank	39

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY
Middlesex County

William E. Rogers of 46 Chestnut street, Wakefield	116
Blank	32

REGISTER OF DEEDS, Middlesex Southern District

Thomas Leighton, Jr., of 73 Fayette street, Cambridge	114
Blank	34

STATE COMMITTEE, Sixth Middlesex District

Edwin T. McKnight of 64 Terrace road, Medford	109
Blank	39

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Arthur N. Newhall of 50 Gould street	118
Myron W. Messer of 346 Main street	119
Willie H. White of 8 Congress street	119
George A. Hinchcliffe	2
G. W. Bell	1
Blank	85

TOWN COMMITTEE

Arthur N. Newhall of 50 Gould street	115
Curtis M. Child of 10 Chestnut street	112
Charles H. Chase of 39 Lincoln street	117
Willie H. White of 8 Congress street	117
George G. Graham of 21 Hersam street	109
Willard Massey of 34 Lincoln street	107
Oliver W. Richardson of 43 Maple street	122

William B. Parker of 74 High street	114
F. Austin Jenkins of 350 Main street	117
George A. Hinchcliffe of 2 East street	111
George A. Hersam of 109 Summer street	105
George A. Packard of 22 Highland avenue	112
James W. Hibbs of 47 Maple street	110
Herbert P. Howe of 55 Hancock street	116
Herbert H. Richardson of 80 Central street	116
J. Herbert Reynolds of 5 Peabody road	110
John Best of 31 Pond street	111
Myron W. Messer of 346 Main street	116
Fitz H. Stevens of 51 North avenue	104
Frank P. Ross of 73 Washington street	107
Joseph W. Holden of 39 Perkins street	109
Scattering	7
Blank	745

All the ballots cast by the Democrats having been assorted and counted in accordance with the law, the blocks of ballots sealed, the tally sheets signed, the votes tabulated and total sheet signed by the presiding officer, public declaration of the same was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

Democratic, Sixty-seven	67

GOVERNOR

David I. Walsh of 251 Main street, Fitchburg	59
Blank	8

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Edward P. Barry of 59 Thomas park, Boston	32
Richard H. Long of Winter street, Framingham	26
Blank	9

SECRETARY

Frank J. Donahue of 106 Glenway street, Boston	56
Blank	11

TREASURER

Frederick W. Mansfield of 91 Geneva avenue, Boston	24
Joseph L. P. St. Cœur of 113 Antrim street, Cambridge	24
Blank	19

AUDITOR

Frank H. Pope of 5 Blossom street, Leominster	49
Blank	18

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Thomas J. Boynton of 60 Summer street, Everett	50
Blank	17

COUNCILLOR, Sixth District

John J. Hogan of 145 Bowers street, Lowell .	43
Blank	24

SENATOR, Sixth Middlesex District

Charles A. Dean of Nahant street, Wakefield .	48
Winfield L. Tuck of 9 Winthrop street, Winchester	9
Blank	10

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirty-first Middlesex District

Leander V. Colahan of 19 Wright street, Stoneham	58
Blank	9

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex County

John B. McCloskey of 96 Sixth street, Cambridge	18
Fred H. Rourke of 777 Central street, Lowell .	12
Henry J. Thompson of 81 West Fourth street, Lowell	3
William H. Walsh off Cochituate road, Framingham	20
Blank	14

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER, Middlesex County

Leander V. Colahan	2
Blank	132

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Northern District

William J. Corcoran of 4 Hastings square, Cambridge	54
William R. Scharton of 102 Parker street, Newton	8
Blank	5

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY
Middlesex County

James T. Barrett of 97 Otis street, Cambridge	44
Blank	23

REGISTER OF DEEDS, Middlesex Southern District

J. Frank Facey of 54 Pemberton square, Cambridge	47
Blank	20

STATE COMMITTEE, Sixth Middlesex District

Thomas E. Dwyer of 12 Gould street, Wakefield	49
Blank	18

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Fred E. Kerns of 203 Main street	52
Patrick Halpin of 7 Dale court	54
A. T. Peacock	1
L. V. Colahan	1
Blank	26

TOWN COMMITTEE

Leander V. Colahan of 19 Wright street	54
Fred E. Kerns of 203 Main street	51
Patrick Halpin of 7 Dale court	52
Stephen P. Finnegan of Franklin street	54
William Garside of Summer street	53
Peter J. Birmingham of Marble street	49
Charles P. Brawley of Avon street	51
Blank	105

All the ballots cast by the Progressive Party having been assorted and counted in accordance with the law, the blocks of ballots sealed, the tally sheets signed, the

votes tabulated and total tally sheets signed by the presiding officer, public declaration of the same was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

Progressive Party, Twenty-five	25

GOVERNOR

Charles Sumner Bird of Walpole	25

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Daniel Cosgrove of 492 Gorham street, Lowell	24
Joseph Walker	1

SECRETARY

Russell A. Wood of 1691 Mass. avenue, Cambridge	25

TREASURER

Warren R. Keith of 310 Copeland street, Brockton	25

AUDITOR

Octave A. LaRiviere of 168 Main street, Springfield	25

ATTORNEY GENERAL

H. Huestis Newton of 92 Waverly street, Everett	25

COUNCILLOR, Sixth District

Harrie C. Hunter of 132 Main street, Marlborough	20
Blank	5

SENATOR, Sixth Middlesex District

Edward E. Elder of 76 Ashland street, Medford	23
Blank	2

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirty-first Middlesex District

Arthur N. Newhall	8
Linville L. Wardwell	1
Blank	16

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex

Charles H. McIntire of 831 Westford street, Lowell	24
Blank	1

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS, Middlesex County

Blank	50

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Northern District

Philip M. Clark of 592 Huron avenue, Cambridge	23
Blank	2

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY
Middlesex County

Blank	25

REGISTER OF DEEDS, Middlesex Southern District

Albin M. Richards of 22 Bigelow street, Cambridge	23
Blank	2

STATE COMMITTEE, Sixth Middlesex District

Joseph F. Ryan of 5 Cliff street, Winchester .	21
Blank	4

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

William L. Fletcher of 59 Franklin street .	24
Walter H. Hatch of 7 Marble street . .	25
Arthur S. Parker of 32 High street . .	22
James Blenkhorn of 317 Main street . .	25
Linville L. Wardwell of 52 High street . .	24
C. A. Moody	1
Blank	4

TOWN COMMITTEE

Edgar J. C. McKeen of 1 Franklin street .	24
Frederick C. McManus of 18 Winthrop street .	24
Linville L. Wardwell of 52 High street . .	23
Sumner L. Hunt of 24 Warren street . .	24
Charles F. Munger of 114 Central street .	24

Charles A. Moody of 109 Central street	24
Andrew Christensen of 1 East street	24
William A. Oppen of 8 Summer street	23
William L. Fletcher of 59 Franklin street	22
Blank	13

All requirements of the law having been complied within tabulating, counting, assorting and declaring the result of the votes cast, it was

Voted, To adjourn.

Town Meeting

TUESDAY, November 4, 1913.

Meeting called to order by L. B. Renfrew Gray, Chairman, and the warrant for the same read by the Town Clerk.

The Tellers appointed by the Selectmen, as required by law, were assigned to duty as follows and sworn by the Town Clerk:

Ballot Clerks, Alfred N. Theobald, Republican; Charles P. Brawley, Democrat.

Tellers, Clarence S. Lynde, George A. Hersam, Republicans, and James H. Fitzpatrick and Francis S. Desmond, Democrats.

The packages of ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected, the dial set at 0, locked and the keys given in charge of the Constable, after which the polls were declared open.

The Chairman appointed Edgar J. C. McKeen, additional Ballot Clerk, as a Progressive.

The Chairman appointed the following additional Tellers, all of whom were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Republican, George A. Packard, Horace E. Moser, Frank E. Parks, Harold C. Grover, T. Arthur Shea; Democrats, Daniel P. Hurld, Francis X. Harney, Thomas F.

Halpin, John R. Wall, James H. Halpin, J. Edward Cogan.

Three "Holt" counting apparatus were used in counting the ballots, two Republican and two Democratic Tellers assigned to each.

By unanimous consent of Selectmen and Town Clerk, at one o'clock in the afternoon the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

At four o'clock in the afternoon the Chairman declared the polls closed at which time the ballot box registered 1356 as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check-list at the gate had the names of 1347 persons checked as having received ballots.

The check-list at the ballot box had the names of 1347 persons checked as having voted.

The number of ballots given out by the Ballot Clerks was 1347.

The number of ballots returned to the Town Clerk was 753.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Chairman was 1347.

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted by the Tellers appointed for that purpose, the same tabulated and proven, declaration of the same was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots cast . . . 1347

GOVERNOR

Charles S. Bird of Walpole, Progressive	448
Alfred H. Evans of Northampton, Prohibition	7
Eugene N. Foss of Boston, Independent	35
Augustus P. Gardner of Hamilton, Republican	385
Arthur E. Reimer of Boston, Socialist Labor	4
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, Democrat	442
George H. Wrenn of Springfield, Socialist	13
Blank	13

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Edward P. Barry of Boston, Democrat	435
Daniel Crosgrove of Lowell, Progressive	374
Augustus H. Gœtting of Springfield, Republican	448
Albert J. Orem of Sharon, Prohibition	10
Peter O'Rourke of Medford, Socialist Labor	8
George E. Rœwer, Jr., of Boston, Socialist	15
Blank	56

SECRETARY

Frank J. Donahue of Boston, Democrat	438
William S. Kinney of Boston, Republican	438
John A. Nichols of Boston, Prohibition	20
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody, Socialist Labor	6
Ella M. Roberts of Springfield, Socialist	22
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge, Progressive	338
Blank	85

TREASURER

Charles L. Burrill of Boston, Republican	461
Charles E. Fenner of Worcester, Socialist	15
Thomas A. Frissell of Hinsdale, Progressive	13
Warren R. Keith of Brockton, Progressive	323
Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston, Democrat	421
Dennis McGoff of New Bedford, Socialist Labor	11
Blank	103

AUDITOR

Herbert S. Brown of Greenfield, Prohibition	22
David Craige of Milford, Socialist Labor	9
Octave A. LaRiviere of Springfield, Progressive	295
Samuel P. Levenberg of Boston, Socialist	17
Frank H. Pope of Leominster, Democrat	391
John E. White of Tisbury, Republican	464
Blank	147

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Thomas J. Boynton of Everett, Democrat	403
Freeman T. Crommett of Chelsea, Prohibition	15
John McCarty of Abington, Socialist	22
H. Huestis Newton of Everett, Progressive	327
Ingvar Paulson of Boston, Socialist Labor	4
John M. Swift of Fall River, Republican	458
Blank	118

COUNCILLOR, Sixth District

John J. Hogan of Lowell, Democrat	407
Harrie C. Hunter of Marlborough, Progressive	338
G. Frederick Simpson of Newton, Republican	445
Blank	157

SENATOR, Sixth Middlesex District

Charles A. Dean of Wakefield, Democrat	478
Edwin E. Elder of Medford, Progressive	336
Wilton B. Fay of Medford, Republican	423
Clyde R. Perry	2
Blank	108

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirty-first Middlesex District

Leander V. Colahan of Stoneham, Democrat	468
Arthur N. Newhall of Stoneham, Prog., Rep.	756
Clyde R. Perry of Stoneham, Independent	66
Blank	57

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex

Erson B. Barlow of Lowell, Republican	443
John B. McCloskey of Cambridge, Democrat	393
Charles H. McIntire of Lowell, Progressive	336
Clyde R. Perry of Stoneham, Independent	1
Blank	174

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS, Middlesex County

George W. Atkins of Everett, Progressive	269
Frederic P. Barnes of Newton, Republican	397
John J. Butler of Wakefield, Democrat	358
George W. Enwright of Lowell, Democrat	293
Edwin P. Fitzgerald of Somerville, Republican	280
Albert F. Parker of Pepperill, Progressive	300
Blank	797

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Northern District

Philip M. Clark of Cambridge, Progressive	329
William J. Corcoran of Cambridge, Democrat	494
John J. Higgins of Somerville, Republican	421
Blank	103

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY
Middlesex County

James T. Barrett of Cambridge, Democrat	402
William E. Rogers of Wakefield, Prog. Rep.	720
Blank	225

REGISTER OF DEEDS, Middlesex Southern District

J. Frank Facey of Cambridge, Democrat	386
Thomas Leighton, Jr., of Cambridge, Republican	457
Albin M. Richards of Cambridge, Progressive	330
Blank	174

Shall the proposed Amendment to the Constitution, making women eligible to appointment as Notaries Public, be approved and ratified?

Yes	466
No	424
Blank	457

Shall the proposed Amendment to the Constitution, authorizing the Referendum, be approved and ratified?

Yes	578

No	178
Blank	591

Shall Chapter 807 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an Act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this county?

Yes	706
No	147
Blank	494

All the requirements of law having been complied with in tabulating, assorting, counting and declaring the result of the votes cast, it was

Voted, To adjourn.

Recount of Ballots Cast for Erson B. Barlow and John B. McCloskey for County Commissioner, Tuesday, November 4, 1913

PETITION

STONEHAM, Nov. 5, 1913.

TOWN CLERK OF STONEHAM, MASS.

We the undersigned registered voters of Stoneham, Mass., represent that we have reason to believe that the returns of the election officers of said ward or town, of the votes cast at the election on November 4, 1913, for County Commissioner are erroneous in this respect.

That Erson B. Barlow, candidate for County Commissioner, was credited with more and John B. McCloskey, candidate for the same office, with less votes than were actually cast for him.

We believe a recount of the votes cast in our said ward

or town will effect the result of the election of these candidates at said election.

We therefore ask that the votes cast for Erson B. Barlow and John B. McCloskey as aforesaid be recounted.

LEANDER V. COLAHAN,
19 Wright st., Stoneham, Mass.
JOHN MEAGHER,
17 Wright st., Stoneham, Mass.
PETER J. BIRMINGHAM,
16 Marble st., Stoneham, Mass.
ARTHUR F. KEENAN,
13 Flint ave., Stoneham, Mass.
HENRY MCDERMOTT,
3 Summerhill st., Stoneham, Mass.
THOMAS HOEY,
70 Summer st., Stoneham, Mass.
ALBERT E. FINNEGAN,
51 Warren st., Stoneham, Mass.
WILLIAM J. CORCORAN,
33 Cottage st., Stoneham, Mass.
JOHN H. DRISCOLL,
166 Main st., Stoneham, Mass.
HENRY M. HURLD,
106 Summer st., Stoneham, Mass.
FREDERICK W. HARRISON,
20 Common st., Stoneham, Mass.
DEXTER G. PRATT,
13 Avon st., Stoneham, Mass.
WILLIAM J. HINDS,
29 Pond st., Stoneham, Mass.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

STONEHAM, Nov. 7, 1913.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

Then personally appeared Leander V. Colahan, one of the foregoing petitioners and made oath that the state-

ments therein made are true to the best of his knowledge and belief, before me,

GEORGE N. GREEN, Justice of the Peace.

Filed Nov. 7, 1913, at 8 o'clock A. M.,

GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

CERTIFICATE

STONEHAM, MASS., November 12, 1913.

TO THE TOWN CLERK, STONEHAM, MASS.

DEAR SIR:—On petition of Leander V. Colahan and others praying for a recount of the ballots cast Tuesday, November 4, 1913, for Erson B. Barlow and John H. McCloskey for County Commissioner, after notice to all persons interested, the Registrars of Voters met in the Selectmen's office, Wednesday, November 12, 1913, at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose set forth in the petition; Leander V. Colahan representing John B. McCloskey, the Democratic candidate, and Arthur N. Newhall representing Erson B. Barlow, the Republican candidate; the blocks of ballots were delivered to the Board, opened and the ballots counted as petitioned for with the following results:

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Erson B. Barlow had four hundred and forty-two	442
John B. McCloskey had three hundred and ninety-two	392

HERBERT H. RICHARDSON,
FRED E. KERNS,
WILLIAM GARSIDE,
Registrars of Voters.

By George N. Green, Town Clerk.

Town Meeting

Charles Thompson chosen Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

No quorum being present, it was

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory hall, Wednesday, November 26, 1913, at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, November 26, 1913.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator.

There being no quorum present, it was

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory hall, Wednesday, December 3, 1913, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, December 3, 1913.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 2

Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, in addition to the amount previously authorized, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ARTICLE 3

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of $120.00 for laying 135 square yards of granolithic sidewalk on a cinder formation of 18 inches in depth; for setting 45 feet of new edgestone and resetting old edgestones on Main street abutting the new State Armory land, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To adjourn.

Dogs Licensed

241 Males at $2.00		$482.00
30 Females at $5.00		150.00
		$632.00
Paid County Treasurer	$577.80	
Paid Town Treasurer	54.20	
		$632.00

Geo. N Green Town Clerk.

BIRTHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1913

DATE	NAME	SEX	PARENT'S NAMES	OCCUPATION OF FATHER
January 1	Doris Evelyn Powers	F	Frank H. and Minnie	Jeweler
3	Margaret Minitoli	F	Samuel and Annie	Barber
5	Zacharenia E. Apalakis	F	Edward and Maria	Laborer
11	Flora Boyajain	F	Sarkis and Margaret	Shoemaker
14	Karl Richard Bailey	M	Hugh W. and Ivy L.	Piano Salesman
19				
20	Robert Grandville Parks	M	Alonzo R. and Corinne I.	Brakeman
23	Mary Josephine Willett	F	Louis M. and Mary E.	Produce
23	Trueman Perkins Matthews	M	Frank H. and Eva M.	Engineer
24	Paul Messier	M	Albini A. and Alice T.	Druggist
29	Gertrude Millicent Porter	F	Ira E. and Cora C.	Farmer
February 1	John Henry Driscoll	M	George C. and Mary V.	Merchant
4	Rollin Emanuel Johnson	M	Leslie F. and Mabel G.	Clerk
5				
5	Frank Joseph Pendergast	M	Frank F. and Vera M.	Expressman
7	Donald Ishkanian	M	Armenag and Tillie	Canvasser
11	Abraham Lincoln Kooyoumjian	M	Ohovanney and Tillie J.	Laborer
12	Esther Evelyn Orde	F	Roy A. and Olive R.	Farmer
12	Charles Watkins Messenger	M	Charles P. and Ethel	Hospital Steward
13	Emeline Kelly	F	John N. and Mary A.	Shipper
16				
17	Carleton B. Davis	M	George H. and Alice E.	P. O. Clerk
20	Henry Arnold Swenson	M	Henry A. and Carrie M.	Plumber
24	Jane Margaret Devoe	F	John W. and Eliza	Laborer
24	Jeffrey	M	Arthur and Bloomie A.	Shoemaker
26	Dora Eleanor Sheridan	F	Robert E. and Nellie A.	Caterer
March 2	Alfred Adzigian	M	Dirasser A. and Zarouhie	Grocer
3	Joseph Ernest Laporte	M	Alonzo A. and Denize A.	Shoemaker

	3				
	10	Luther Francis Yancey	M	Luther F. and Malinda	Painter
	13	Christie	M	Richard C. and Lillian O.	Master Teamster
	14	Ruth Hannah Dolliver	F	Charles P. and Annie M.	Shipper
	15	Edith Hope Everett	F	Myron H. and Minnie M.	Shoe Laster
	16	Merrill Beale	M	Arthur S. and Ethel G.	Clergyman
	16	Everett Somes Treworgy	M	Everett S. and Stella F.	Clergyman
	18	Pearl Campbell	F	William H. and Mary L.	Barber
	20	Elizabeth Almira Holtzberg	F	Emil V. and Alma	Carpenter
	20	Mary Esther McDonough	F	Martin F. and Mary A.	Shoemaker
	21	Helen Natalie Richardson	F	Frank A. and Josephine C. W.	Farmer
	21				
	25	Hazel Arline Murphy	F	Walter E. and Harriet E.	Machinist
	25	Gunstead	M	Arenth M. and Ellen A.	Minister
	25	Joseph E. L. Vasser	M	Joseph L. and Mary G. L.	Marble Worker
	25	Edward Murray	M	Martin and Delia	Gardener
	28	John Richard Johnston	M	John and Barbara M.	Bank Clerk
	23	Joseph Leo McNeil	M	Daniel J. and Mary A.	Clerk
April	1	Griffith	F	Geruard F. and Evelyn L.	Salesman
	1	John MeNanie	M	James and Olive	Stone Mason
	2	Gladys Marian McCall	F	William F. and Goldie M.	Shoes
	5	Lloyd Herbert Blinn	M	Michael L. and Ethel D.	Engineer
	10	Govatsos	M	Charles C. and Nellie	Shoes
	14	James Albert Montrose	M	Robert L. and Lydia K.	Painter
	14	Grant Healey	M	Ernest G. and Olive G.	Shoe Mfr.
	14	John Samourshakian	M	Absolom T. and	Machinist
	14	Edward Samourshakian	M	Absolom T. and	Machinist
	21	Machoian	F	Stephen and Alta	Shoemaker
	22	Ralph Albion Jenkins	M	Ralph A. and Edna F.	Salesman
	24	John Henry Howland	M	Norman and Annie R.	Electrician
	25	Mary Lenore Ferguson	F	Henry L. and Christine	Salesman
	26	Dora Frances Moser	F	Horace E. and Ethel F,	Shoe Worker
	26				
	30	Walter Virgil Berry	M	James E. and Mabel	Real Estate

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DATE	NAME	SEX	PARENT'S NAMES	OCCUPATION OF FATHER
May 3	Joseph Clarence Webber	M	Fernard E. and Mary F.	Shoemaker
3	Charles F. Ryder	M	Charles L. and Gertrude M.	Brass Moulder
3	Mary Louise Hart	F	John J. and Mary A.	Brakeman
4	Gertrude Lilley	F	John E. and Elizabeth F.	Driver
6	Alexander Pitkerwich	M	Charles and Malvina	Foreman
8	Herbert Stanley Clark	M	Herbert S. and Marion	Blacksmith
9				
10	Alma Ferguson Patch	F	Ralph R. and Christine V.	Salesman
12	Clarice Laura Jones	F	Allan L. and Gertrude L.	Milkman
13	Albert Small Baldwin	M	William S. and Edith L.	Farmer
14	Eunice Chase	F	Charles C. and Bertha M.	Printer
17	Steele	M	Harry C. and Crescenda G.	Clerk
19	Thomas Sweetland Ireland	M	Thomas A. and Carrie M.	Salesman
21	John Edward McHale	M	John J. and Katherine A.	Mason
22	Walter Evans Benson	M	Robert L. and Elizabeth	Shoemaker
27				
29	Anna Pickens	F	Elbert P. and Ina L.	Shoes
29	Evelyn May MacCuish	F	Hugh and Margaret	Shoes
29	Harold Martin Lawrence	M	Martin F. and Annie E.	Teamster
June 7	Harold Ernest Ringland	M	John H. and Ruth E.	Shoemaker
7	Ralph Norton Thompson	M	William I. and Grace E.	Electrician
10	Bashian	M	Bedree and Rachel	Farmer
11	Vivian A. Barrett	F	James and Eva	Shoes
12	DeAngelis	F	Savero and Filamena	Cement
16				
17	William Douglas Dodge	M	Ralph E. and Daisy	R. R. Fireman
18	Ruth Burding	F	Leslie and Mary E.	Shoes
20	Eleanor Frances Bell	F	James E. and Abbie A.	Merchant

	20	Celia Evelyn Trout	F	George W. and Annie	Engineer
	26	Carl Leslie Junkins	M	Charles F. and Belle	Salesman
	26	Teyelian	F	Stephen and Araxia	Barber
	27	Gracey	M	Frank M. and Ruthella S.	Teacher
July	4	Keough	M	Frank and Helen	Iceman
	4	Pantousakis	F	Manuel and Annie	Tanner
	4	Francis Daniel Sweet	M	Francis E. and Alice M.	Gypsy Moth
	5	Campantasos	M	Vasel and Kaliope	Fruit
	6	Malcolm Veasey Collier	M	Joseph H. E. and Ada R.	Currier
	8	Evangeline Lamoreaux	F	Frederick W. and Elinor	Bookkeeper
	11	Ardashes A. Barton	M	Charles A. and Ogda A.	Chemist
	14	George Francis Walden	M	John F. and Grace E.	Teamster
	22	Jennie Demar	F	Peter and Camella	Barber
	23	Brown	F	Leon V. and Flora E.	Teacher
	25	James Edgar Martin	M	Fred P. and Etta L.	Teamster
	26	Mildred L. McCarthy	F	Thomas F. and Grace M.	Shoes
	26	Luretta Isora Trumbell	F	George C. and Eva C.	Contractor
	29	Harold Walhgren	M	Chester A. and Olive G.	Clerk
	30				
	30	Alfred Schoeffer	M	Raymond G. and Annie E.	Iceman
August	7	Earl Clayton Mellett	M	Harry W. and Ivy H.	Musician
	7	Caroline Cook	F	William J. and Bessie L.	Meat Cntter
	7	Elizabeth Cook	F	William J. and Bessie L.	Meat Cutter
	8	Evelyn Simono	F	Moses and Grace	Teamster
	10	Roderick O'Connor	M	Michael J. and Delia G.	Mason
	10	Carl Leonard Anderson	M	Anders G. and Florence	Clerk
	12	Carolyn Davenport Fisk	F	Wilbur W. and Caroline E.	Coal Dealer
	12	Helen Elizabeth Murphy	F	Thomas J. and Ellen E.	Fireman
	13	Beatrice Elizabeth Morris	F	John P. and Mary E.	Shoes
	15	Arnold Emanuel Hall	M	William E. and Ruth G.	Paper Ruler
	15	Knight	M	John and Sarah	Packer
	16	Mida Kerakashian	F	Vahe and Virgin	Merchant
	17	Ayer	M	Edgar J. and Margaret J.	Salesman
	18	Helen Constance Lahey	F	James A. and Grace M.	Stonemason

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August 27				
30	Arnold Taylor Croscup	M	Leonard E. and Lula M.	Mechanic
September 2	Helen Gertrude Cannon	F	John and Gertrude	Plumber
2	Griffith	F	Francis C. and Helen M.	Roofer
3	Winnifred Marjorie Campbell	F	Herbert F. and Marjorie	Carpenter
9	Vincent Dougherty	M	Hugh A. and Ellen	Navy Yard
10	Joseph Myrl Chambers	M	Joseph and Jennie	Shoes
11	Smith	M	Harry W. and Margaret A.	Milkman
12	Edward Stanley Geninez	M	Edward and Emelia	Shoes
20	Afegania Gavatsos	F	Antoneos and Demitrya	Grocer
24	Doris Louise Smart	F	Burton H. and Mabel	Shoes
24	Oscar Julius Hultgren	M	Ernest F. and Jennie E.	Baker
25				
30	Helen Katherine Connell	F	Michael and Nora	Teamster
October 2				
4	Arthur L. Logan	M	Fred R. and Elizabeth E.	Carpenter
14	Caroline Lawrence	F	Clinton E. and Harriet E.	Real Estate
14	Nicholas George	M	Alemangedis and Tena	Silversmith
15	Philip Carl Farnsworth	M	Carrol E. and Amy A.	Farmer
15				
17	Preston Leonard Smith	M	Preston J. and Olive M.	Mechanic
19	Francis Brady	M	P. Henry and Elvira	Plumber
20	Eleanor Frances Kenney	F	Patrick F. and Eleanor M.	Oil
23	Edith Irma Belle Lord	F	Milan G. and Irma F.	Ship Carp.
23	Walter Stanley Surrett	M	John J. and Delphine F.	Shoes
26	Puzant Adzigian	M	Avedis H. and Pailadzoo	Tailor
29	Joseph Willis Brown	M	Charles H. and Sarah M.	Brakeman
31	Clifford	M	Henry H. and Katharine	Painter

31	Walter Vincent Saxby	M	Willie P. and Bertha M.	Engineer
November 3	Clyde Marchant	M	Alec and Theme	Clerk
3	Inez Viola Lawson	F	John P. and Annie H.	Die Maker
5	Lois Yeaton	F	Harry E. and Edith A.	Shoes
6				
6	William Cooledge Chase	M	William C. and Mabel F.	Real Estate
8	Francis Richard Martin	M	Everard C. and Mary	Clerk
10	Pantousakis	F	John and Gregonia	Shoes
12	James Crescexo	M	Dominic and Cincetta	Laborer
13	Charles Meehan	M	Charles J. and Margaret	Fish Dealer
13	Edouard Nelson Morand	M	Edouard J. and Clara N.	Real Estate
16	Strompolis	F	George and Helen	Confection
17				
19	Lawrence Potter Heath	M	Ralph and Effie	Civil Engineer
22	Robert Edward Clement	M	William N. and Marie F.	Foreman
23	George Wilfred Perry	M	George W. and Stena	Shoes
26	Ruth Evelyn Hanson	F	Richard and Esther H.	Pianos
30	Mora	M	David and Katie	Shoes
December 2	James Everett Carrington	M	Clement B. and Hope A.	Porter
4	Doris Matilda LaSalle	F	John and Martha	Glue
4	Marjorie Weiler	F	Carl F. and Lillian A.	Insurance
12				
14	James Landers Brosneham	M	John F. and Margaret	Shoes
18	Alice Josephine Pratt	F	Edward S. and Nellie	Laborer
22	Leland	F	George and Mary B.	Salesman
25	Doris Sadie Perry	F	M. Edward and Maude	Shoes
27	Leonard Warren Thomas	M	Leonard E. and Myrtle D.	Shoes
28	Helen Dorothy Frederickson	F	Carl O. and Matilda	Porter
29	Chester David Ludwig	M	Chester W. and Gertrude E.	Jeweler

SUMMARY OF BIRTHS

Whole number registered	181
Males	101
Females	80

NATIVITY OF PARENTS

	FATHER	MOTHER
Stoneham	28	16
Other Cities and Towns	75	96
England	4	4
Ireland	5	8
Scotland	1	
British Provinces	20	24
Russia	1	1
Norway	1	
Sweden	6	5
Poland	1	2
Germany	1	
Armenia	12	9
Italy	8	5
Greece	6	6
Isle of Crete	3	
Siam		1
Turkey		4
Unknown	9	
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Jan. 1	Joseph Halgren	Wakefield	21	Brakeman
	Annie F. Conley	Stoneham	28	Operative
5	Michael W. McDonough	Stoneham	26	Motorman
	Mary A. Doherty	Stoneham	21	Stenographer
15	Martin Fred Ross	Truro, N. S.	29	Grocer
	Carrie Etta Upham	Stoneham	22	Seamstress
Feb. 1	George K. Hamill	Stoneham	21	Chemist
	Gertrude F. Reynolds	Stoneham	20	At Home
19	Melvin Cephas Hill	Arlington	27	Salesman
	Elva Estelle Andrews	Stoneham	23	Bookkeeper
Mar. 8	Joseph Henry Lombard	Brunswick Me	77	Dentist
	Ella May Stetson	Brunswick Me	50	At Home
23	John Reginald Galletly	Norwood	22	Rubber Wkr.
	Mabel Mary Dulong	Stoneham	17	At Home
23	Bernard J. Noone	Lynn	47	Gardener
	Margaret Rafferty	Stoneham	47	Housekeeper
29	A Shirley Dike	Stoneham	22	Enameller
	Helen J. Burbine	Wakefield	18	At Home
Apr. 1	Robert L. Montrose	Stoneham	19	Painter
	Ludia K. Pierce	Stoneham	19	Shoe Wkr.
2	Clifford Campbell Steele	Stoneham	23	Milk Dealer
	Marguerite Alma Bedell	Wilmington	22	Private Sec.
6	John Cannon	Stoneham	21	Steam Fitter
	Winnifred G. Lynch	Woburn	19	Clerk
12	Michael Masi	Stoneham	30	Tile Layer
	Charlotte Masi	Stoneham	38	At Home
19	Samuel Thomas Oldfield	Stoneham	27	Clerk
	Harriet Grace Putney	Revere	31	Stenographer
19	Arthur H. Abbott	Stoneham	25	Chauffer
	Mary Josephine Landrie	Malden	28	At Home
20	Humphrey A. Morris	Stoneham	29	Shipper
	Mary M. McGaffigan	Stoneham	26	Shoes

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Boston Stoneham	John and Anna Charles H. and Mary F.	W. J. Millerick Priest
Woburn Melrose	Patrick and Mary Eugene and Catherine	W. J. Millerick Priest
Holden, N. S. Upper N. River, N. S.	Charles and Margaret Alexander E. and Kate C.	Frank W. Collier Minister
Stoneham Allston	George P. and Mary A. Michael J. and Margaret	John H. Harrigan Priest
Boston Stoneham	Charles F. and Ada M. Herbert H. and Eva J.	Frank W. Collier Minister
W. Bath, Me. Brunswick, Me.	Samuel and Sarah Ann Harvey and Lucy E.	Frank W. Collier Minister
Malden Reading	William and Ella J. Robert and Emma J.	John F. Meheran Priest
Ireland Nova Scotia	John and Bridget James and Catherine	W. J. Millerick Priest
Stoneham Reading	Bertram and Rosiltha J. Ambrose and Mary A.	Jos. E. Waterhouse Clergyman
New Brunswick Walpole	James C. and Mary D. Albert and Catherine	George N. Green Justice of the Peace
Stoneham Lawrence	Walter and Julia D. Winfield G. and Alma Q.	George J. Bloomfield Minister
Stoneham Woburn	Michael and Ellen Patrick and Nora	Patrick T. Higgins Priest
Italy Italy	Peter and Louisa Angelo and Mary	W. DeHaven Jones Justice of the Peace
Wyandotte, Mich. Richmond, N. H.	Joseph and Betsey Edgar and Harriet C.	Nelson S. Burbank Clergyman
Stoneham Malden	Thomas P. and Addie M. Jeremiah C. and Nancy J.	William E. Dowty Clergyman
Boston Stoneham	Christopher and Theresa Owen and Margaret	W. J. Millerick Priest

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Apr.	27	George Irvin Theobald	Stoneham	22	Chauffer
		Annie Gertrude Mooney	Winchester	21	At Home
May	4	Francis DeSales O'Neil	Hyannis	35	Grocer
		Ida Helen Lillian Beron	Stoneham	36	Stenographer
	11	B'oss Aubrey Anderson	Saugus	18	Clerk
		Meda Rubina Carter	Saugus	18	G. E. Co.
	12	Edwin S. Hamblin	Stoneham	30	Painter
		Lottie L. Josselyn	Stoneham	25	At Home
	12	Herbert A. H. Burgess	Stoneham	28	Met. Park
		Ama C. Mann	Dorchester	26	At Home
	14	Herbert Foster Mack	Syracuse	27	Manager
		Marian E. Fowle	Stoneham	26	Clerk
	14	Dennis Gillen	Brockton	36	Chef
		Nellie Bradley	Stoneham	26	At Home
June	1	Patrick J. Callahan	Melrose	28	Electrician
		Sarah L. Smith	Stoneham	27	Stenographer
	4	Joseph Arthur Tole	Arlington	21	Plumber
		Florence E. Sullivan	Stoneham	23	Box Maker
	5	Arthur J. Hinchcliffe	Stoneham	29	Monotype Op.
		Mary J. Hill	Stoneham	22	At Home
	7	Peter Joseph Desourdie	Haverhill	28	Shoemaker
		Eleanor E. Kendall	Stoneham	28	Bookkeeper
	9	Herbert Stanley Clark	No. Reading	23	Blacksmith
		Ida M. MacIntire	Stoneham	19	At Home
	10	Frank Blood	Stoneham	33	Trainman
		Edith Frances Warren	Winchester	33	At Home
	11	George Edwin Martin	Stoneham	27	Conductor
		Gertrude Sherritt	Wakefield	25	Operative
	12	Patrick H. Shaughnessy	Boston	44	Ropemaker
		Nora E. Glynn	Stoneham	39	At Home
	14	Charles G. Burbank	Stoneham	36	Secretary
		Laura M. Sanford	Brookfield	36	At Home

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Stoneham Winchester	William and Annie A. Patrick J. and Mary	John W. H. Corbett Priest
Hyannis Boston	Dennis and Agnes K. Benj. F. and Helen A. E.	John H. Harrigan Priest
Medford Saugus	Robert and Rose	Everett S. Treworgy Clergyman
Stonington, Me. Charlestown	James I. and Elizabeth Hiram P. and Fannie J.	Everett S. Treworgy Clergyman
New Brunswick Lexington	Caleb and Martha Charles C. and Grace M.	W. Bradley Whitney Minister
Brattleboro, Vt. Stoneham	John P. and Lizzie M. Oliver G. and Annie G.	A. H. Robinson Minister
Ireland Ireland	Michael and Catherine Daniel and Nellie	W. J. Millerick Priest
So. Boston Stoneham	Daniel and Julia Timothy J. and Susan E.	John H. Harrigan Priest
Arlington Woburn	Joseph A. and Mary A. Jeremiah and Annie	John H. Harrigan Priest
Chelsea Melrose	Geo. A. and Elizabeth A. Aaron and Anna May	Willard T. Perrin Minister
Lawrence Woburn	Peter Jos. and Jennie James E. and Mary C.	Hugh A. Heath Minister
No. Reading No. Reading	Allen and Laura A. Walter J. and Ida M.	Jos. E. Waterhouse Clergyman
No. Chelmsford Winchester	George W. and Phebe E. Edmund D. and Sarah J.	D. Augustine Newton Minister
Stoneham Westboro	George B. and Mary L. James F. and Margaret	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
England Stoneham	Patrick and Margaret James and Ann	W. J. Millerick Priest
Rockland Salem, N. Y.	Elijah W. and Corrina A. Charles L. and Sarah A.	Sherman Goodwin Minister

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DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
June 15	James Joseph Hoey	Stoneham	25	Salesman
	Nora M. McLaughlin	Somerville	22	Clerk
17	Roger Doherty	Stoneham	42	Laborer
	Elizabeth Mahoney	Winchester	32	At Home
25	John D. Anderson	Stoneham	37	Gardener
	Mary A. Patten	Stoneham	39	Domestic
July 2	Charles H. Twombley	Stoneham	38	Teamster
	Catherine W. Kinnear	Stoneham	32	Bookkeeper
6	William J. Murphy	Stoneham	31	Salesman
	Mildred May Healey	Dorchester	22	Bookkeeper
19	Luther Morrill Cody	Somerville	42	Frames
	Josephine Belle Morrill	Canterbury	26	School Teach.
28	Charles Henry Dulong	Wakefield	26	Conductor
	Doris Clyde Loucks	Stoneham	26	Nurse
Aug. 4	David A. Magrath	Stoneham	25	Teamster
	Louise McNeil	P. E. Island	21	At Home
21	Merle E. Soule	Stoneham	21	Bookbinder
	Edna F. Chambers	Stoneham	17	At Home
23	Louis F. Smith	Stoneham	30	Salesman
	Edna Mae Hannaford	Stoneham	22	At Home
28	Edward R. Daniels	Lynn	26	Laundry
	Effie M. Goldsmith	Lynn	23	Clerk
Sept. 4	Kenneth Sargent May	Newton	26	Elec. Eng.
	Francis Osgood Stevens	Stoneham	26	At Home
7	George F. Sheridan	Stoneham	25	Brakeman
	Nellie M. Qualters	Wakefield	25	At Home
8	Arthur B. Jenney	Stoneham	58	Physician
	Almeda L. Messer	Stoneham	40	At Home
15	Howard Salem Palmer	Winchester	27	Tel. Eng.
	Edna May Kinsley	Stoneham	21	At Home
17	Albert Hooper	Woburn	21	Brass Finish.
	Bessie Connelly	Stoneham	17	Box Maker

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Stoneham Cambridge	Owen and Margaret William J. and Ellen	Hugh J. Cleary Priest
Ireland Ireland	John and Catherine D. Eugene and Bridget	John W. H. Corbett Priest
Cambridge Ireland	Robert and Flora Hugh and Mary	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
Barnstead Cen., N. H. Moncton, N. S.	Chas. H. and Elizabeth S. Calvin and Cecelia	W. Bradley Whitney Minister
Stoneham Braintree	James and Alice Arthur D. and Minnie H.	Frederic J. Allchin Priest
Lincoln, Neb. Canterbury, N. H.	Alden and Eliza A. George P. and Abbie P.	Arthur Varley Clergyman
Winchester Canton, N. Y.	Sylvine and Rose James S. and Lucinda F.	William W. Roberts Justice of the Peace
Charlestown P. E. Island	Angus and Caroline Daniel and Mary Jane	George N. Green Justice of the Peace
Skowhegan, Me. Wakefield	George H. and Charlotte Joseph and Jennie	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
Providence, R. I. Stoneham	John and Annie Frank A. and Florence N.	Arthur Varley Clergyman
Nova Scotia Nova Scotia	Chas. H. and Prudence A. Benjamin and Elizabeth	Henry P. Cutter Minister
Newton Stoneham	George and Harriet A. William B. and Mary W.	Everett S. Treworgy Clergyman
Stoneham Wakefield	George H. and Margaret Michael and Bridget	John F. Meheran Priest
New Bedford Pembroke, Me.	Francis and Maritta Thomas and Margaret	William B. Whitney Minister
Winchester Roxbury	Wallace P. and Annie S. Howard D. and Alice G.	Henry E. Hodge Minister
Winchester Woburn	Samuel and Annie Michael and Ann	W. J. Millerick Priest

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DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
Sept. 18	Guy Carleton Hawkins	Lancaster	24	Forester
	Mary Burnham Stevens	Stoneham	26	At Home
21	William F. Dowd	Melrose	34	Conductor
	Mary A. Hurld	Stoneham	26	At Home
24	Robert D. Lowell	Reading	23	Shoe Cutter
	Lillian F. Hanscom	Stoneham	20	Clerk
Oct. 8	Harold C, Williams	Stoneham	19	Salesman
	Ruth Hortense Smith	Melrose	21	At Home
11	R. Elwin Arnold	Stoneham	21	Salesman
	Frances L. Hewitt	Stoneham	19	At Home
12	Estero Paolella	Stoneham	22	Shoemaker
	Palmira Ferretti	Stoneham	23	At Home
16	Harry D. Stetson	Brighton	37	Painter
	Carrie E. Thompson	Stoneham	37	At Home
19	John J. Kelley	Stoneham	32	Shoemaker
	Margaret E. Cogan	Woburn	28	At Home
22	George T. Callahan	Stoneham	34	Shoes
	Mary Etta Kelly	Stoneham	41	At Home
26	James W. Reynolds	Stoneham	28	Clerk
	Lillian A. Clifton	Stoneham	22	At Home
Nov. 8	Fred M. Perkins	Woburn	23	Leather
	Viola Kennedy	Stoneham	19	Clerk
16	George H. Holden	Stoneham	25	Bookkeeper
	Ruby B. Harper	Wakefield	23	Clerk
16	Charles P. Brewer	Stoneham	19	Printer
	Margaret R. Doucette	Stoneham	22	Laboratory
20	Donald Batchelder	Stoneham	29	Leather Mfg.
	Aurelia Marie Begin	Danvers	22	At Home
26	Daniel E. McLoughlin	Stoneham	32	Foreman
	Jennie M. Kirk	Wakefield	29	At Home
26	Thomas G. Ballard	Pittsburg, Pa.	29	Ice Dealer
	Nettie M. Amos	Malden	23	Domestic

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Lancaster Stoneham	Everett M. and Harriet G. William B. and Mary W.	Everett S. Treworgy Clergyman
Melrose Stoneham	John H. and Emma John and Mary A.	John H. Harrigan Priest
Cambridge Stoneham	Kenney C. and Alice M. Mark E. and Mary J.	Jos. E. Waterhouse Clergyman
Somerville Melrose	Charles F. and Mary V. Fred E. and Ida	Augustus E. Scoville Minister
Stoneham Somerville	Robert and Cora A. Chauncey D. and Eliza	Edward H. Post Minister
Italy Italy	Domenico and Amata Giambostesto and Rosa	Rev. Francis Bert Priest
Allston Stoneham	George H. and Martha H. Chas. and Georgianna F.	John W. Ward Clergyman
England Woburn	Thomas and Ellen Patrick and Mary E.	Patrick T. Higgins Priest
Stoneham Stoneham	John and Nellie E. Owen and Johanna	W. J. Millerick Priest
Stoneham Stoneham	John J. and Mary A. Charles B. and Mary E.	W. J. Millerick Priest
Woburn E. Boston	Frank J. and Mary J. Robert J. and Ida M.	Henry B. Williams Clergyman
Stoneham Wakefield	George H. and Sarah J. Arthur and Carrie F.	Edward H. Post Minister
Melrose Nova Scotia	Alfred H. and Ella May William H. and Rose E.	W. J. Millerick Priest
Lexington Ipswich	George G. and Frances B. Philip J. and Delphine	Michael J. Sullivan Priest
Stoneham Wakefield	Patrick and Ellen John and Jennie M.	William H. Flynn Priest
New Brunswick New Brunswick	George and Sophia Alexander and Mary	William B. Whitney Minister

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Nov. 27	William P. Kelleher	Lowell	25	Lineman
	Mary F. Murphy	Stoneham	23	At Home
Dec. 3	Samuel Butchart	Charlestown	25	Teamster
	Sarah Rosena Gordon	Stoneham	18	Stitcher
6	Alfred Morrison	Stoneham	25	Fireman
	Lida L. Montrose	Stoneham	29	Waitress
7	Michael W. Cannon	Stoneham	20	Printer
	Ruth M. Sheriff	Stoneham	20	Boxmaker
7	Sam Kalousdian	Woburn	25	Cabinet Mak.
	Venus Vajibian	Woburn	20	At Home
10	Stanley Ledington	Stoneham	24	Asst. Mgr.
	Esther Lorutz	Philadelphia	22	At Home
14	Clarence A. Rogers	Boston	38	Manager
	Louise G. Morriss	Stoneham	28	Bookkeeping
20	Henry Claude Jackson	Stoneham	27	Engineer
	Hattie May Fogg	Stoneham	29	Nurse
24	John L. Dike	Stoneham	25	Draftsman
	Ethel F. Smardon	Pomfret, Vt.	25	At Home
25	James Henry Lamb	Stoneham	22	Shoemaker
	Annie Elizabeth Willey	Winchester	17	At Home
31	Roy Hanson Butters	Melrose	21	Railroad
	Lilly J. Clough	Portland, Me.	19	At Home

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1913

PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Lowell Stoneham	Patrick and Hannah John W. and Catherine F.	Wm. J. Millerick Priest
Scotland Stoneham	Andrew and Agnes David and Sarah	John W. Ward Clergyman
So. Boston Sackville, N. B.	William and Elizabeth James C. and Mary D.	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
Stoneham Chelsea	Michael and Ellen David and Mary	Wm. J. Millerick Priest
Turkey Turkey	Soghomon and Vortanoch Krikon and Yeyhisapet	M. Bagdasarian Clergyman
Durham, Eng. Norway	William and Mary M. John and Stiene	George Burt Starr Minister
Shirley Boston	George H. and Celina M. Christopher and Theresa	W. J. Millerick Priest
Stoneham Stoneham	Levi and Katie B. Charles E. and Addie S.	William J. Batt Minister
Stoneham Nashua, N. H.	Bertram and Roziltha J. James F. and Marie R.	George E. Ladd Clergyman
Chelsea Stoneham	James A. and Grace N. Henry H. and Amanda F.	Murray W. Dewart Clergyman
Mechanics Falls, Me. Houlton, Me.	Albion L. and Charles Alton C.	William B. Whitney Minister

SUMMARY OF INTENTIONS OF MARRIAGE

Whole Number 72

NATIVITY

	MALES	FEMALES
Stoneham	18	16
Other Cities and Towns	39	41
England	3	
Ireland	3	3
Scotland	1	
British Provinces	3	7
Sweden	1	
Italy	4	4
Norway		1
	72	72

SUMMARY OF MARRIAGES

Whole number registered	75
Number of Widowers	9
Number of Widows	3
Number of Males Divorced	3
Number of Females Divorced	4
Oldest Male	77
Oldest Female	50
Youngest Male	18
Youngest Female	17

NATIVITY

	MALES	FEMALES
Stoneham	17	16
Other Cities and Towns	43	44
England	3	
Ireland		3
Scotland	1	
British Provinces	5	8
Italy	2	2
Norway		1
Turkey	1	1
	75	75

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1913

DATE	NAME	AGE			PARENT'S NAMES	CAUSE OF DEATH
January 3	Bradford W. Copeland		3	11	Howard C. and Bess M.	Natural
4	Nellie Callahan	60	9	21	Francis and Mary	Diabetes
11	May Frances Granville	62	7	9	James and Eliza	Dilation of Heart
13	James Webb	80	11	3	John and Nancy	Arterio Sclero.
14	Katherine McCormick	54	8		Walter and Margaret	Pneumonia
17						
18	Bertram Dike	54	1	11	John H. and Abby A.	Carcinoma
18	Alice M. Purdy	27	3	21	Richard and Susan	Post-partum Hem.
22	Charles E. Winch	67			Dana	Carcinoma
25	Leonard Page Benton	75	8	26	Zenas D. and Priscilla	Diabetes
26	William A. Nickerson	77	3	3	Thomas	Dysentery
30	Sarah Mary Currier	48	11	27	William and Elizabeth	Asthma
February 1	Charles Francis Waite	87	11	27	Peter and Betsey	Mitral Heart
1	Susan Elizabeth Baldwin	84	2	4	Elisa and Laura A.	Concussion Brain
5	Mary E. Barnes	75	2	12	Benjamin and Martha	Heart Disease
12	John Joseph Desmond	32	3	27	Jeremiah and Johanna	Pul. Tuber.
15	Ella M. Albee	73		28	Henry K. and Elvira	Cerebral Soft.
21	Louis S. Walton	61	11	1	Nathan and Eliza	Arterio Scler.
25	Elizabeth Theresa Keefe	42			William and Eliza	Pneumonia
28	Emily Alfretta Shaw	64	5	22	Nathaniel and Charlotte	Per. Anemia
28	Mary Leach	75	3		Matthew and Mary	Pneumonia
28						
11	Emily Prince Gallagher	64	1	6	Timothy and Mary	Pneumonia
March 3	Deineige LaPorte	36			Celford and Dernichil	Chr. Bright's
3						
6	Dorothy Glidden		1	25	Frederick W. and Etta M.	Inanition
7	Mary Elizabeth Perry	62	1	14	John and Sarah	Chr. Diabetes
7	Kittie Hinkley	49	11	20	James and Julia	Heart Failure

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1913

DATE	NAME	AGE			PARENT'S NAMES	CAUSE OF DEATH
March 7	Mary A. McDonnell	71	9	27	Bernard and Catherine	Chr. Myocarditis
9	James A. McWhirter	56	5	21	Alexander and Sarah	Cancer of Stomach
11	Peter D. Apalakis	5	11		James and Kalleopi	Scarlet Fever
15	William Webster Abbott	61	6	25	James W. and Anna	Cirrhosis of Liver
17	Mary Jane Dannahy	66	7		Robert and Julia	Angina Pectoris
18	Druzilla Bucknam	66	4		Hannibal N. and Lydia	Osification of Heart
20	Michael Scanlon	66	4	8	Bartholomew and Mary	Acute Bronchitis
22	Kate A. Fickett	46			Warren and Mary Jane	Carcinoma of Stom.
21	Arthur Harry Loiter		9		Harry and Julia	Tuber. Peritonitis
24	William Wallace Richardson	75	11	5	Reuben and Marandy	Chr. Intertitial Neph.
31	George McKenna	32	4	30	Maurice and Ellen	Acute Appendicitis
April 1	George Reynolds	10	11	6	George H. and Elizabeth	Acute Endocarditis
1	Margaret Elizabeth Walsh	65	9	21	John and Mary	Per. Anaemia
2	Frederick Reese Jones	54	8	1	John A. and Sarah J.	Carcinoma of Bladder
4	Betsy Oldfield	70	1	27	Thomas H. and Ann	Cerebral Paralysis
6	Frank Little	36	3	5	Henry V. and Hattie M.	Acute Spas. Laringit.
7	Charles Davis	40	9	17	Charles B. and Mary J.	Chronic Alcoholism
7	Joseph William Gay	53	2	22	William and Elizabeth	Cancer
10	Margaret Sullivan	75	11	9	William and Flora	Pneumonia
10	Daniel Dexter Peabody	66	5	23	Daniel and Sarah C.	Myocarditis
11	Maurice Sullivan	70			William and Nora	Per. Anaemia
11	Edwin F. Saurin	77	8	9	Thomas J. and Jane	Intestinal Obstruc.
15	Ruth Lavinia Swasey	76	2	8	Benjamin and Ruth	Apoplexy
16	James Roper	71	11	15	James	Diabetes
16	Charles B. Ahern	24	7	25	William H. and Johannah	Diabetes
18	John A. Anderson	45	6	11	John A. and Anna	Carcinoma of Stom.
19	David D. Lord	65			David F. and Mary B.	Paralysis
20	Newton Webber Lamson	49	9	10	Edwin and Lucy	Perforating Ulcer

	23	Hulda Matilda Trefry	89		20	Richard and Mary	Apoplexy
	24	Lewis Warren James	29	10	11	Warren and Ida	Carcinoma
	26						
	27	Caroline Frances Austin	74	5	17	John H. and Eliza	Rheumatism
	30	Bernard Conefy	64			Thomas	Pul. Tuberculosis
May	6	Amasa P. Sherman, Jr.	24	11	20	Amasa P. and Mary	Mit. Regurg. Heart
	7	Lawrence Wiedmann	64	5	9		Apoplexy
	8	Sarah Jane Fletcher	70	10	28	John and Rachel	Fracture of Skull
	9	Pearl Campbell		1	20	William and Mary	Hyp. Pylor. Stenosis
	12	Charles Brown	65	1	19	Jacob and Ruby	Nervous Exhaustion
	13	Hannah Brown Winslow	85	3	15	Jonathan and Debrath	Marasmus
	17	Mary Olivia Hersam	81	8	25	Paul and Betsey	Cardiac Hypertrophy
	17	Charles Henry W. Carter	64	10	22	Samuel O. and Lucy A.	Meningitis
	23	Elizabeth J. Conway	26	10	19	Thomas and Catherine F.	Pul. Tuberculosis
	26	Cinderilla N. Dow	79	1	20	Eli and Anna H.	Myocarditis
	25	Margaret May Howes	1	1	25	Solomon F. and Bessie M.	Whooping Cough.
	27						
	23	John Gray	50			John and Sarah A.	Fractured Skull
June	6	Gertrude M. Sears	23	10	1	Edward M. and Annie M.	Myocarditis
	9	William Francis Gordon	74	6	6	Charles P. and Sarah	Mitral Insufficiency
	10	Fred Paul Peterson	36	11		Halvor and Annie	Acute Bron. Pneumo.
	15	Charles William Loveridge	37		19	William B. and Louise	Uremia
	17	Mary G. Ryder	24	8	17	John W. and Mary E.	Peritonitis
	20	Walter Abram Paige	61	10	8	Moses O. and Diantha	Cerebral Hemorhage
	20	Eliza G. Elma Morrill	76	5	2	Jeremiah and Mary	Marasmus
	24	Philomena Reed	88	9	11	Marshall and Clarissa	Cerebral Hemorrhage
	10	H. Porter Hayward	69	4	26	Horace and Anna	Nephritis
July	5	Michael Nelson	62			Peter and Susan	Heart Disease
	11	George P. Boyce	71	3	4	James and Jennett	Mitral Stenosis
	11	Harold Lincoln Clark	9	7	24	Ernest L. and Lottie B.	Appendicitis
	17	James Arthur Leathe	31	7		James W. and Laura J.	Tuberculosis
	18	Mary A. McGowan	51	1	3	John and Mary	Per. Anaemia
	22	James A. Jones	60	6	8	Jesse G. and Abigail	Pneumonia
	23	Isabella A. D. Gilman	32	3	23	William and Jessie M.	Pul. Tuberculosis

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1913

DATE		NAME	AGE			PARENT'S NAMES	CAUSE OF DEATH
July	25	Lester Burton Sornberger	8	9	6	George B. and Amelia	Papilloma of Traches
August	1	Eliza Roberts Doherty	79		26	Albert and Eliza R.	Heart Disease
	2	Philena A. Folger	72			John and Lydia	Carcinoma of Intest.
	2	Mary Evelyn Doucette	40	2	8	Peter L. and Annie T.	Aortic & Mit. Regur.
	3	Michael J. Connolly	26	3	9	Michael and Ann	Diabetes
	4	Helen G. Peffers	29	8	26	Dexter C. and Betty O.	Appendicitis
	4	Annie Lydia Longmore	41			Amos and Bertha	Broncho Pneumonio
	6	Mary A. Welch	52	7	27	William and Mary	Splenic Myel. Cucae.
	7	Bessie L Bassett	30	8	3	Horace and Anna	Septicaemia
	9						
	10	Walter Marcus Jewett	1	3	6	Walter E. and Ethel A.	Weak Heart
	10	George L. Call	88	6	3	John and Eliza	Organic Heart Dis.
	16	Bridget McDonald	80	6	14	Matthew and Mary	Arterio Sclerosis
	16	Charles Herman Stevens	2	1	17	Eben T. and Catherine F.	Broncho Pneumonia
	20	Ellen P. Yeaton	70	3		David and Aurilla	Carcinoma of Uterus
	21	John Joseph McInney		4	21	James and Olive	Entero Colitis
	27						
	26	Owen Francis Hoey	58	6		Matthew	Mitral Regurgitation
September	7	Hazel Crummel	21			John P. and Caroline	Accidental Drowning
	7	Ada Feingold	20	5	21	John and Rebecca	Suicide by Drowning
	16	Jane Loring Edmands	74			William I. and Caroline B.	Heart Disease
	20	Levi Hill	61	1	5	Amos and Mary S.	Apoplexy
	25	Mary A. Morse	53			Edward and Margaret	Pul. Tuberculosis
October	1	Charles F. Ryder		5		Charles L. and Mary	Marasmus
	2						
	7	Fred Burckhardt	19	8	24	Fritz and Antonio	Embolism
	13	Frank Henry Pomeroy	62	10	19	Francis and Rebecca M.	Heart Disease
	14	Mary A. Kelley	61			Morris	Per. Anaemia

14	Mary Bradford Crowninshield	69	6		John M. and Sarah	Cerebral Hemorrhage
17	Sylvanus David Currier	67	11	17	Reuben W. and Lenis	Arterio Sclerosis
17	Emily Jane Sanborn	72	5	21	Joseph W. and Susan	Mul. Neur. Cere. Oed.
17	Edward L. Pierce	35	9	7	George L. and Elizabeth	Chronic Nephritis
18	John L. Lewis	55	7	11	Milo G. and Uretta	Cirrhosis of Liver
20	Delia A. Hines	54	9	6	Roger and Ann	Acute Paren. Neph.
24	Nelson Woodcock	85	4	26	Peter and Elinor	Cerebral Hemorrhage
30	Newman Parker	76	7	19	Newman and Lydia F.	Inflam. of Bladder
November 3	Mary Arnold	76	4	9	John	Gen. Arteriosclerosis
6						
7	John Joseph Claffy	60	6	13	James and Mary	Carcinoma Sigmoid
10	Edgar B. Christie	47			John and Eliza	Cancer of Stomach
15	Ellen J. Tay	63	2	29	William P. and Harriet	Cerebral Hemorrhage
20	Katherine Harrison	70	7	11	James and Caroline	Cancer of Stomach
24	Ida Clough	40	9	8	George W. and Mary E.	Nephritis
26	Everett Wigginton	8	8	5	Warren T. and Edith B.	Auto Accident
30	Edward Everett Harris	22	11	18	Chapin H. and Martha B.	Straptococcus Pneu.
17						
24	James H. Thornton	39	2	5	John T. and Mary	Cystitis
December 3	Winnefred Rowe	52	6	13	Benjamin R. and Mary J.	Carcinoma of Breast
4	Benjamin J. Neilson	46	9	29	Jepson and Christine M.	Fracture Vertebra
11	Edward K. Hayes	75			Cyril and Eliza	Broncho Pneumonia
12						
15	Edward I. Wadsworth	67		27	John and Catherine	Acute Dil. of Heart
18	Mary Elizabeth Devlin	74	6	8	James and Mary	Acute Bronchitis
23	Mary Ellen Sullivan	31	1		John J. and Ellen	Myocarditis
24	John H. Craigie	6	5	5	John H. and Florence M.	Automobile Accident
25	Alfred A. Chase	87	10		Abram and Deborah	Mitral Insufficiency
26	William J. B. Skillings	70			William	Arterio Sclerosis

SUMMARY OF DEATHS

Whole number registered	147
Average age of 79 Males	46
Average age of 68 Females	52

	MALES	FEMALES
Number under 1 year of age	10	7
Number between 1 and 5 years of age	2	1
" " 5 " 10 " "	5	
" " 10 " 15 " "	1	
" " 15 " 20 " "	1	
" " 20 " 30 " "	5	7
" " 30 " 40 " "	8	4
" " 40 " 50 " "	5	7
" " 50 " 60 " "	7	6
" " 60 " 70 " "	19	11
" " 70 " 80 " "	11	19
" " 80 " 90 " "	5	6
	79	68

	MALES	FEMALES
Number in month of January	7	5
" " February	4	7
" " March	7	8
" " April	13	5
" " May	8	10
" " June	5	4
" " July	6	2
" " August	6	11
" " September	1	4
" " October	9	4
" " November	7	4
" " December	6	4
	79	68

Number of Soldiers of Civil War 10

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OF THE

TOWN OF STONEHAM

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1913

School Committee 1913-14

	Term Expires
WINTHROP C. WHITCHER, Chairman	1914
WALTER GORHAM, Secretary	1915
CLAUDE E. PATCH	1916

ARTHUR B. WEBBER, Superintendent

41 Maple Street

Telephone, "Stoneham 335-M"

Office—High School

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Office Hours:

8.30 to 9.45 Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays

4 to 5 Mondays and Wednesdays

School Days Only

School Calendar

Winter Term—Eight Weeks

1914

February 12, Lincoln's Birthday, Half Holiday
February 20, Second term ends

Recess One Week

March 3, Third term begins
April 19-20, Patriots' Day, Holiday
April 24, Third term ends

Recess One Week

May 5, Fourth term begins
June 17, Bunker Hill Day, Holiday
June 19, Grammar Schools Close
June 23, High School Graduation

Summer Recess

September 8, Fall term begins
October 12, Columbus Day, Holiday
November 24, School closes for Thanksgiving recess until December 1
December 18, Fall term ends

1915 Winter Term—Eight Weeks

January 5, Second term begins
February 26, Second term ends

Report of the School Committee

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The School Committee herewith submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1913.

The Committee has made repairs, under the special appropriations, at the High, Dean and South schools.

At the High the rooms and corridors were retinted and the woodwork and coping on the outside of the building painted. During the summer vacation, new closets were put in the toilet rooms in the basement at the High school. This change has made a saving of $75.44 on the last six months water bill at the High; our bill this year for the six months, June 1 to December 1, being only $65.75 as compared to $141.19 for the corresponding six months last year.

New floors were put in at the Dean school and a steel ceiling put in the room used as a sewing room. Partitions were put up in the corridors on the top floor, completing the work in this building.

Repairs were made at the South school and the building painted.

The school buildings are all in good condition with the exception of the Dean and East schools, which need painting. The Committee would recommend that an appropriation be made for painting both of these buildings the coming year. The estimated cost of painting and necessary repairs at the Dean is $350, and the East $200.

Several changes have occurred in the teaching force during the year and in most cases the teachers have resigned to accept positions in some other towns or cities at a larger salary than this town was paying.

If the schools are to be kept up to their present high standard and if the town wishes to keep the teachers that are now in the schools, it is necessary that the school appropriation should be increased. The salaries paid the teachers of Stoneham are the lowest with one or two exceptions of any of the surrounding towns or cities.

The Committee believe that the fire whistle now located on the Center school building is dangerous to the health of the pupils of both the Center and Dean buildings and that it should be removed as soon as possible.

For the ensuing year, the Committee recommend an appropriation of $41,500.00 for the support of the schools, $500.00 for the Night school and $150.00 for medical inspection.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation	$36,700.00
Balance 1912	1,083.72
Received from sale of books, etc.	49.50
	$37,833.22

Detail of Expenditure

Teachers' Salaries	$24,529.50	
Superintendent's Salary	1,320.00	
Janitors' Salary	2,620.00	
Books and Supplies	2,719.03	
Repairs	561.24	
Incidentals	877.82	
Attendance Officer	64.00	
Transportation	200.00	
Tuitions	1,598.56	
Secretary and Care of Books	135.62	
Fuel	2,913.22	
Water	356.64	
		$37,895.63
Overdrawn		62.41

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Appropriation		$150.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Dr. F. E. Park	$150.00	

NIGHT SCHOOL

Appropriation		$500.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE (1st Half Term)

Teachers	$180.00	
Books and Supplies	7.58	
Incidentals	28.50	
Janitor	23.00	
		$236.38
Drawn to meet expenses, 2d half term		263.62
		$500.00

Respectfully submitted,

WINTHROP C. WHITCHER,
WALTER GORHAM,
CLAUDE E. PATCH,
School Committee.

Report of the

Superintendent of Schools

MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration my fourth annual report as Superintendent of the public schools of the town of Stoneham. It is the twentieth in the series of such reports.

The reports of the various Supervisors and of the Principal of the high and evening schools are appended for your consideration.

THE WIDER USE OF THE SCHOOL PLANT

Evening occasions in our High School are multiplying with great rapidity—the school orchestra, the debating society, the glee clubs, the Teachers' club, the evening school, the Oratorio society, and most recently the public meeting to consider the milk question, all show a tendency to utilize the plant to a much fuller extent than in the past.

The request of several parents that we supervise the "Flower parties" of the junior class led to the decision to abolish this form of decoration at our graduation, and, that it might be clear that this action was in no wise an attempt to curtail the social activities of our pupils, the custom was established of permitting classes to hold socials in the hall, limiting such affairs, as to the closing hour, to 10.30 P. M. Several classes have availed themselves of this opportunity, and it certainly seems that the social needs of our pupils are well cared for.

WHAT DOES A DIPLOMA MEAN?

In the discussion of the regulations of socials and other class affairs it has seemed evident that some parents

do not have a clear conception of the grounds upon which diplomas are granted. A diploma means not only that one has completed certain intellectual requirements, but has also given evidence of a stability of character and moral responsibility toward the requirements of the school and life's demands outside of school. This position is generally recognized by the business world and should appeal to all who hold the best interest of the pupil at heart. Believing firmly that the school's business is quite as much the development of character, and the preparing of our youth to meet the demands of life in the fullest possible measure, we have endeavored to hold to this ideal. Entrance to our High school should be open to all qualified mentally and physically, but continuance thereon should be conditioned upon evidence of a proper spirit toward the best interests of the school and society at large, as well as upon mere intellectual attainment.

Teachers

The teaching corps has suffered materially by resignations due to the increase of salary offered by other places. Mrs. H. I. P. Upton, after many years of faithful and efficient service, tendered her resignation as Principal of the South school. While the town lost much, it is a pleasure to feel that after so long a time of strenuous service she is fortunate enough to have the opportunity of making a home for her daughters in so delightful a city as Los Angeles. The best of wishes go with her from all her associates, as was manifest at the reception tendered her in June by the Teachers' Club.

Miss Dodge left the South school to accept an increase. Her place is taken by Miss Wilda Briggs of Gt. Barrington, Mass., who is proving her worth. Miss Helen Briggs of the same school was induced to remain only by your ready response in the matter of salary and this stay must prove but temporary. Miss Kilton's resignation at the East,

and also that of Miss Healey, were regretable. Miss Gerda Huntoon of Manchester, N. H., has shown excellent equipment for the position, and Miss Mabel B. Wilson of St. Johnsbury, Vt., who succeeds Miss Healey, is proving a strong teacher.

The small numbers at the North school rendered it necessary, in the interests of economy, to consolidate, closing one room. The transfer of Mrs. Graham to the principalship of that building, and of Miss Lucy Walsh to the Center, have worked advantageously.

The High school faculty has been increased, owing to the large enrollment, by the selection of Miss Edith Sandell of Dorchester, and Miss Moody's place has been well filled by Miss Frances Hutchinson of Haverhill. Both have proven sources of strength, and the corps is the best that the school has had since my connection with the schools. The following letter speaks for itself:

OFFICE OF STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

January 12, 1914.

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER,
STONEHAM, MASS.

MY DEAR MR. WEBBER:—From the returns you sent me regarding the Stoneham High school, I note that you have increased your teaching force within the last year, but I also note that some of your teachers are very seriously overworked.

I note especially the work of Miss Bessey and Miss Leach. While Miss Bessey has but 25 periods of work, nevertheless her classes are very large. She has 112 pupils in English in addition to her other work; and similarly, Miss Leach has 147 pupils in English and 80 pupils in social science. The National Council of English Teachers in their meeting recently, recommended that 100 pupils be regarded as the maximum number for which one English teacher should be responsible and urged that this number be reduced to 80 as rapidly as possible.

Very truly yours.
CLARENCE D. KINSLEY, Agent.

This means without doubt that to maintain our record in the state we must have another teacher who will relieve the teachers in question, and it will also be necessary to have a teacher on full time in place of Miss Stevens.

Several of our teachers have received flattering offers to go this year to more remunerative places. Unless we can make an increase in our maximum salaries of at least $50.00, we shall another year inevitably lose our best teachers. In figuring the budget for the coming year this fact, coupled with the increases made and being made in all the towns about us paying approximately the same or slightly higher salaries, must receive due weight.

Physical Education

Somewhat more than a year ago an attempt was made to introduce organized play at recess. This was more or less of a failure for two reasons: first, the teachers being without previous training, felt themselves to be unequal to the task, and secondly, the yard at the Dean provided a decidedly inadequate playground for all classes at once. To better matters, this year a class for teachers was organized under the direction of Misses Cooper and Rice of the Sargent school. The Selectmen generously gave the use of the Armory and the teachers responded finely to the call upon their slender resources. It is regretable that the finances of the town would not bear the extra burden, as the return appears to be well worth the innovation. The morning recess was delayed so that each grade will have the same time to devote to the gymnastic and game work by itself and as soon as the initial instructions are over the work should proceed in the open when the weather conditions favor, and with open windows when inclement weather forces the classes indoors.

The High school girls asked the privilege of forming a class under Miss Harding, and the Selectmen again gave the use of the old Armory for their work. This caused

several requests for grammar grade children to be granted permission to attend this class. As the numbers were large these requests were denied, but a class has recently been formed in Grade VII under the other teachers from the Sargent school, and though small in numbers it will tend to prove advantageous in developing a nucleus for the game work about to be taken up, and will undoubtedly more than repay the slight expenditure by the parents, and the time will be most profitably spent.

It surely would seem that if the appropriation for military instruction is justifiable, an equal or greater amount should be allowed for the physical development of our girls and younger boys.

Writing

The employment of a supervisor of writing has brought our penmanship up to a point where we may feel justly proud of our gain. The children have made material gains and more have carried the muscular movement over into their daily work than has been noticed in other places where we have visited. This has been largely due to the excellent work which Miss Reusch has done and to the fact that the teachers have through their extra service been able to give more attention to those pupils who are slow in acquiring the habit. I earnestly urge the continuance of this service.

A Differentiated Course

Our most important problem is presented in the upper grammar grades and the High school. We have an elementary course of eight years followed by a secondary course of five years, radically different in its character and organization.

Many objections have been made to the present public school system. Thinking people have felt that the results obtained are not commensurate with the time and money expended. Many have exclaimed against the "fads and

frills"and have insisted upon a return to the fundamentals. This is all right if we return to them in the first six years and do not make our return utterly devoid of that essential enrichment which can accompany this fundamental instruction along lines of language, geography and history. This we have sought to accomplish and the use of pictures by means of our reflectoscope and the broader view point which is being taken in these subjects are working out well.

We should never return to the fundamentals as an exclusive educational diet for an eight year course. Life today makes many demands that such an education will not fit the child to meet. An adequate knowledge of our fundamentals should be mastered in six years if the entrance age were made such that the child came to us at a fair degree of maturity. This adequate knowledge of form sufficiently mastered the instruction should concern itself more with content and possess a definite use of purpose.

Children vary greatly in aptitudes. Just as soon as proficiency with the "common working tools of education" has been attained they should be given a chance to find themselves. A uniform treatment beyond this stage, usually reached at the age of twelve, is deadening in its monotony and destructive of individuality. New tastes and new interests assert themselves at this time and the boy or girl needs a special type of education.

The work beyond the elementary period of six years should be of a character to promote efficiency. This does not imply that the work at present is a failure. Within certain limited lines it is offering an excellent training now. Once the home, the shop and the farm offered ample opportunity to learn the practical things of life. Today the social organization has left little of this opportunity. Our present education offers to a comparatively few of our pupils an excellent opportunity to fit for further study

and is doing this well, but to a very large degree and for the greater number of our children the present type of education offers very little in preparation for productive efficiency.

I wish here to present the following reasons why the introduction of some forces of prevocational industrial work would contribute to the needs of our children and result in greater efficiency.

Children in their normal state of mind and body like to work; evidence the great amount of labor entailed in carrying out many of their own plans, undertakings and games. They wish to know what the work is for and to determine that it is worth while, that it will further their own conception of fun, gain or productive activity; assured of this the normal child, within his strength, is very willing, yes, anxious to work.

The tendency of the day when a child remains with his books in school and has little opportunity to contribute to the productive activities of the home, is to decry manual labor and exalt scholarship, for a long time yet people will earn their livings by the productive activity of their hands. We need to teach certain things which will tend to give respect for and a pleasure in productive industry. We need a corrective for the education which exalts the head and neglects the hand.

The history of civilization indicates that by labor the people have been held to virtue and strength of character. As nations have gained greater degrees of leisure, in greater numbers have their people become delinquent. This should not be held to be a necessary result of leisure, but it certainly is an attendant circumstance. Data from Europe and America seem to show that "juvenile delinquency" is on the increase. I submit the proposition that this may be because of the hordes of youth absolutely untrained in appreciation for labor and untrained to take their place in any kind of industry.

The trend of opinion and practice is to increase the age requirement for legal employment of juveniles. In Massachusetts, they may be employed now at the age of fourteen, provided they are literate, if illiterate they may not legally enter employment until they are sixteen. Probably protective legislation will be enacted soon which will extend the age at which there may be unrestricted employment of minors to include eighteen years of age. When this legislation has been enacted some definite forms of manual labor in sufficient quantity to be serviceable must be given to our children or they will grow up through their formative period ignorant of work, more unfit than now to enter the arena of life.

We should substitute for certain groups of children certain manual work in the doing of which they may taste the joy of succeeding. At their academic labor they have failed until they are perfectly willing to fail; failure is their normal experience. These children are not failures of a necessity, but because of the nature of the tasks imposed. They should be given work of a kind which will teach the pleasure of success. These pupils need the essentials of an education; they need thoroughly practical work rather than academic drill.

Great numbers of our children are destined to enter the industrial world soon after they may legally do so. Let ns give them some work which is definite in its attempt to interest them in this world into which we are now "pitch-forking" them.

These pupils should be enabled to enter some occupations with some special training, if not in the trade itself, at least in the fundamental requirements of the trade. This is so far an age of specialists that unless this is done there will be small chance for improvement and progression after the first job is secured, once a bobbin boy always one, will be the experience of our youth.

Education must give our children some comprehension

of the work of their country, the fields of labor into which they are going, some knowledge of the difficulties to be met, the chances of self-improvement and advancement in the various trades. Education, if it is worth anything to our boys and girls who are going to do the work of tomorrow, should give them some industrial intelligence before they go out and try to "break into" some employment.

If the foregoing reasons are sound and worthy of consideration and we are going to undertake this work, if it is worth while receiving recognition from educators and educative systems, it must be commenced in the elementary schools at least two years before the end of the compulsory school period.

It can not be undertaken with the conventional program of the elementary school. A differentiated program must be provided in the grammar schools. This is absolutely necessary in the interest of the pupils who are to join the army of laborers in the capacity of private or officer and it is no less to be desired in the interest of the pupils who are to continue in school, through the high school, and on to college and the professional school.

How are you going to tell to whom to offer these courses? How do you tell now? It must be elective. The elective principle must be pushed back into the grammar school. Election once made must not be final; minimum essentials must be common and always the greatest opportunity for change must be given, if because of circumstances or ambitions a change is desirable. A maximum of opportunity must be opened earlier than at present.

Vocational guidance must become a function of the school official just as soon as we have opportunity to learn enough to perform the service. From the rich experience of life, a knowledge of the environment, the capability of the individual, the necessities of the home, the ambitions of the parents and with their sympathy and help school

officers can do much to save the waste, drifting and shifting of juvenile industrial employment.

The kind of work the boys and girls should take is that which will make them first, better and more useful members of their family; second, better and more useful members of the community. What this is will be determined by the environment, prospects and opportunities of the individual, always in the interest of the child. To help determine this and to provide for those who should be in school rather than in the shop a differentiated program in grades 7, 8 and 9 should be arranged:

A course of 10 hours a week for boys in manual work.

A course of 10 hours a week for girls in household art.

A course of 10 hours a week for both boys and girls in commercial work and typewriting.

A course of 10 hours a week in poultry raising.

Evening School

This year the work of the Evening school has been broadened by the introduction of a course in typewriting and business English. The demand for this work would seem to justify its continuance and the further extension of the work another year by the introduction of commercial arithmetic and bookkeeping.

For the young women of the town the opening of a Household Arts course involving cooking and dressmaking, should be seriously considered. The state law allows towns to establish such courses and the state refunds one-half the expense of maintenance. This expense would approximately be outside of the equipment.

The report of the Principal appended shows the increased interest in the school this year.

It is with sincere appreciation of your cordial support that I conclude this report.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur B. Webber,
Superintendent of Schools.

HIGH SCHOOL — COURSES OF STUDY

Grade	Classical		Scientific		English		Business	
IX	English	4	English	4	English	4	English	4
	Eng. Hist. & Phys.	3	Eng. Hist. & Phys.	3	Eng. Hist. & Phys.	3	Eng. Hist. & Phys.	3
	Com. Geography	3	Com. Geography	3	Com. Geography	3	Com. Geography	3
	Algebra	4	Algebra	4	Com. Arithmetic	4	Com. Arithmetic	4
	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1
	Penmanship	1	Penmanship	1	Penmanship	1	Penmanship	1
	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1
	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1
	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1
X	English	4	English	4	English	4	English	4
	Social Science	3	Social Science	3	Social Science	3	Social Science	3
	Algebra	4	Algebra	4	Com. Arithmetic or Algebra	4	Com. Arithmetic or Algebra	4
	Latin	5	Bookkeeping	4	Bookkeeping	4	Bookkeeping	4
	Geometry	1	Geometry	1	Penmanship	1	Penmanship	1
	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1
	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1
	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1
XI	English	2	English	2	English (optional)	2	Stenography	5
	French	4	French	4	French	4	Typewriting	5
	Latin	5	Com. Cor. & Com. Law	3	Com. Cor. & Com. Law	3	Com. Cor. & Com. Law	3
	Geometry	4	Geometry	4	Geometry	4	Bookkeeping	4
	Physics	4	Physics	5	Physics	5	Physics	5
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Penmanship	1
	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1

XII	English	3	English	3	English	3	English 3
	French	4	French	4	French	4	Stenography 5
	Latin	5	Botany & Physiol. or S. Gm. 3 & Physics	5 3	Botany or Physiol. or S. Gm. 3 & Physics	5 3	Typewriting 5
	Am. Hist. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. Hist. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. Hist. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. Hist. & Civ. Gov. 4
	Geol. & Astron. or German	4 5	Geol. & Astron. or German	4 5	Geol. & Astron. or Typewriting	4 5	Office Practise 2
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Penmanship 2
	*Drill	1	*Drill	1	*Drill	1	Music 1
							*Drill 1
XIII	English	3	English	3			English 3
	French	4	French	4			Stenography 3
	Latin	5	German	5	The fourth year of		Typewriting 3
	Chem. or German	5	Chemistry	5	Business Course is		Penmansbip 2
	Mathematics or Elec.	3	Mathematics or Elec.	3	not required, but		Electives 11
	*Music	1	*Music	1	is strongly advised		*Music 1
	*Drill	1	*Drill	1			*Drill 1

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to submit my nineteenth annual report.

Present enrollment by grades:

Grade IX	76
Grade X	75
Grade XI	60
Grade XII	46
Grade XIII	32
Postgraduates	3
Total	292

Enrollment by courses:

Classical Course	63
Scientific Course	90
English Course	9
Business Course	122
Special Course	8
Total	292
Number enrolled since September 9, 1913	306

Our increased membership necessitates the use of nearly the whole building. I would suggest, therefore, that such rooms as lack artificial light and especially the laboratories be wired for electricity.

The wisdom of opening our assembly hall for Friday evening socials has been amply demonstrated. Apparently the absence of "close dancing" does not in the least interfere with the enjoyment of these affairs.

Uniform college entrance requirements are desirable and almost a necessity for small high schools with their limited number of classes. The Secretary of the State Board of Education has expressed himself as in accord with the desires of the small High schools in this matter and has suggested that co-operation on the part of school boards, supported by public sentiment, would greatly

assist the State Board in its efforts to bring about this very desirable change.

At present each college has its special requirements, hence a young lady may be fitted for Smith and not be able to enter Simmons, or vice versa. Likewise a young man may meet the requirements of Tufts but not of Brown and so on.

Often during his High school course a pupil changes his mind as to what college he will enter and is handicapped thereby.

Colleges are relieved from taxation on the ground that they are public servants. It would seem that here is an opportunity for them to render real service by agreeing upon uniform terms of admission. The Harvard requirements seem to be the most reasonable of all and might well be adopted by all. Under the "new plan," they are as follows: To be admitted to Harvard college a candidate must present a certificate from the principal of his preparatory school showing:

(a) The subjects studied by him and the ground covered.

(b) The amount of time devoted to each.

(c) The quality of his work in each subject.

To be approved, this statement must show:

(a) That the candidate's secondary school course has extended over four years.

(b) That his course has been concerned chiefly with languages, science, mathematics and history, no one of which has been omitted.

(c) That two of the studies of his school program have been pursued beyond their elementary stages, i. e., to the stage required by the present advanced examinations of Harvard college or the equivalent examinations of the College Entrance Examination Board.

If the official detailed statement presented by the candidate shows that he has satisfactorily completed an

approved secondary school course, he may present himself for examinations in four subjects as follows:

(a) English.

(b) Latin or, for candidates for the degree of S. B., French or German.

(c) Mathematics or physics or chemistry.

(d) Any subject, not already selected under (b) or (c,) from the following list: Greek, French, German, history, mathematics, physics and chemistry.

Following the usual custom, the Class of 1913 presented the school with a beautiful picture, a reproduction of Cyrus Dallin's "Appeal to the Great Spirit," with its companions, "The Signal of Peace" and "The Protest."

The High School Cadets are maintaining the high standard of former years. The officers are: Captain, John Haley; 1st Lieutenant, William Snow; 2nd Lieutenant, George Hansell; 1st Sergeant, Ernest Stone; Quartermaster Sergeant, Carlton Martin; 2nd Sergeant, Raybern Davis; 3rd Sergeant, Elliott Fowle; 4th Sergeant, Claude Ryder; 5th Sergeant, Thomas McDermott; Corporals, Grigg, J. Cullen, Hinchcliffe, J. McDonald, Elliott, Kinsley, Keith, Hamill, Temple; Musician, Carey.

At the annual drill the prizes were awarded as follows: 1st, Herbert Holden; 2nd, Ernest Hinchcliffe; 3rd, Lester Freeman; 4th, John Haley; Stewart medal, Chester Keith; Freshman cup, Charles Kerwin.

A few changes have been made in our course of study.

In particular, I would call attention to the provisions whereby a senior in the Classical or Scientific course can elect a subject from the Business course in place of the traditional review of mathematics.

I am glad to record a profitable and harmonious year.

CHARLES J. EMERSON, Principal.

Graduation Exercises of Class of 1913
Stoneham High School

Prayer

Rev. Edward S. Treworgy

The Miller's Wooing *Fanning*

Chorus

Essay—Bird Reservations

Gladys Gilbert

(First Honor in Scientific Course)

Essay—The Volunteer Militia

J. Arthur Van Buren

Essay—A Pioneer High School of the Twentieth Century

Idanelle S. Thompson

Olav Trygvason *Grieg*

Chorus

Essay—The Work of Clara Barton

Edna M. Dutton

Class History

Francis L. Hewitt

Reading—Tennyson's Guinevere

Dorothy E. Richardson

(First Honor in Classical Course)

With Sheathed Swords (From Naaman) *Costa*

Cohrus

Class Prophecy

Raymond A. Longmore

Essay—Have You Ever Been to Boston?

Nettie E. Elliott

(First Honor in Commercial Course)

Award of Diplomas

Carmena *Wilson*

Chorus

Graduates

CLASSICAL COURSE

Madeleine Louise Clough
Iola May Elliott
Dorothy Elizabeth Richardson

SCIENTIFIC COURSE

Ralph Waldo Arnold
Grace Laura Connor
Gladys Gilbert
Frances Lillian Hewitt
Raymond Arthur Longmore
James Francis Loughlin
Caroline Katherine McHale
George Derby Mirick
James Arthur Van Buren

ENGLISH COURSE

Warren Henry Barnes
Earle Chester Bockus
Lester Addison Freeman
Edwin Manning Hill
Ruth May Howes
Florence Elizabeth Hurld
Ethel St. Claire Jackson
Victor Paul Keith
John Joseph Loughlin
Mark Gihon Mullaley
Helen Veronica Sweet
Carl Irving Whitcomb

BUSINESS COURSE (Four Years)

Edna Mary Dutton
Nettie Edna Elliott
Elva Frances Jones
Elsie Vivien Ripperger

BUSINESS COURSE (Three Years)

Mary Edna Brawley
Ada Elizabeth Breagy
Lillian Maude Ennis
Idanelle Stearns Thompson

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF EVENING SCHOOL

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—The work in the Evening school is progressing very satisfactorily. At the present time we have an enrollment of 88 against 54 of last year. This large increase in attendance is very gratifying and shows that much advantage is being taken of the evening work by those who cannot attend day school. It is also pleasing to note that 24 of last year's pupils have returned for a second year.

At the beginning of the year the typewriting room was wired for lights, and a department in Typewriting and Business English opened. We have accommodations for 16 pupils and there are 16 in attendance.

We are somewhat handicapped in not having more time at our disposal. Our term consists of twenty weeks, two evenings per week. I would suggest that a sufficient sum be appropriated for the coming year, to enable us to increase the number of sessions to three per week. Much more could be accomplished under these conditions.

The record of attendance for the first half year given below indicates that the pupils are interested and desirous of making the most of their opportunities.

Number belonging	75
Number of sessions	20
Number present at all	20
Number absent once	16
Number absent twice	13
Number absent three times	13
Number absent four times	5
Number absent five times	1
Number absent more than five times	7

EDWARD WHITTEMORE,
Principal Evening School.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MANUAL TRAINING

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to submit to you the following report of the Manuel Training department.

For several years I have called the attention of the committee to the crowded condition of this department, and as there has been a considerable increase in numbers this year, I feel it my duty to again call attention to it.

With a small room, poorly heated, with no ventilation and no place to put finished or partly finished models, confusion arises that detracts from the efficiency of the school, and presents a problem worthy of the careful consideration of the committee and the citizens of the town.

I sincerely hope in the near future to see a shop built in the rear of the school building; preliminary sketches of which I submit with this report.

The greater part of this building could be built by boys of the school, under a proper foreman, giving the upper grades a chance to put into practical use what they have learned in the 7th, 8th and 9th grades.

It was gratifying of course to take the first prize at the Quannapowitt Fair last September, but the indications are that the work this year will far exceed that of last.

The time given to manual training is hardly sufficient to obtain the best results. At present the 7th grade has one hour, 8th grade one hour and thirty minutes. 9th grade one hour and twenty minutes each week. They should have at least one lesson each week in mechanical drawing.

This report is respectfully submitted.

W. F. BRACKETT, Instructor.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF SEWING

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I have endeavored in planning this Sew-

ing Course to bring the relation between the home and school closer, for in this way girls are made more helpful to the home and society in general. In the course the girls are trained in accuracy and neatness as most essential of all. Beginning in the 6th grade the work is very simple as the hands are still untrained and considerable time is spent on practicing stitches. A sewing outfit is made during the first year.

Handwork is taught entirely until the 7th grade is reached. Here the girls are taught to use the sewing machine, so that we have a combination of machine and hand sewing on garments. The use of commercial patterns is explained, as there is not time for drafting in the course. Materials most suitable for garments made in classes are discussed; also prices and qualities best suited for special purpose. Each girl will know when her garment is finished the exact cost of all material used and in this way she learns how to buy and spend economically.

This begins to awaken a girl's consciousness to a new field of thought and when begun in the elementary grades helps them to become more independent and also appreciative of good work. As she reaches the 8th grade her knowledge as to the construction of garments has increased and she is able to go ahead by herself in an intelligent and practical manner.

Very truly yours,

MARION SHEPHERD.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—When drawing was introduced into the public school system of the state, there were many objections to its advent. Chief among these was the idea that it was not of sufficiently practical a nature. In the years that have elapsed since its general introduction, there is no doubt but what drawing has earned the right to exist,

and it is along the lines of the practical even more than the aesthetic, that it has forced its enemies to admit that right.

Each year, when making changes in our courses of study, we have tried to bear in mind the practical side of the matter, and we have found that, the more clearly the pupils have understood that drawing is something which can be put to actual use in every day life, the more readily have they responded.

A few years ago we used to teach the subject of design very differently from the way that we present it today. We spent a great many hours arranging lines upon paper, but as the pupils never saw that the arrangement was put to any special use, it was somewhat difficult to persuade them that these lines were of particular importance. We supervisors used to dread the subject quite as much as our pupils, but today we find it far easier, for the children undertake the making of a design with great pleasure, knowing that the lines upon paper will finally be transferred to some material from which an article, both useful and ornamental, will be made.

We are trying also to teach the art of representation in a practical way, and therefore a way which shall appeal to the interest. Not so very many years ago, all the work of the lower grades in representation, was done in lead pencil outline. While there is a great deal to be said in favor of considerable practice with the pencil, it yet seems hardly wise to deprive the children of the pleasure of occasionally adding color and light and shade to a correct outline drawing, thus giving a much more realistic effect. We are finding that the art of seeing may, in this way, be made a fascinating study.

In the teaching of mechanical drawing, we aim now to have as little copying as possible. Of course, in the lower grades there must be considerable copied work, but in higher grades when the pupils have acquired the accurate

use of their instruments, we try to have them feel free to exercise their inventive faculties in the designing of articles of furniture, or in the devising of ingenious contrivances that can be used at work or play. Many excellent and original house plans have been drawn and colored by our High school boys.

Even the aesthetic side of art is now considered in a decidedly practical light. Once, drawing as an aesthetic subject, would not have been thought of particular value, save to the few who intended to study art as a profession. Today we realize more fully that a love and appreciation of beauty in the world of nature and art may exert so wonderful an influence for good in the life, as to be practically invaluable to its possessor.

I desire to say that much credit is due our teachers for their conscientious following of my plans, however much labor this has involved. I would also express my appreciation of the kind and helpful suggestions which you have ever been ready to give, and my obligation to our School Committee for all the ways in which they have so promptly responded to requests for assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

EVELYN F. CROSS.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I herewith submit my third annual report in music.

A new method known as the Sight Singing System has been introduced and, although the pupils have had but a few months' experience, some of the classes are doing very fine work. Principles taught by former methods have been reviewed with the new system so that the course may be introduced into all grades at once, but children who are being taught for the first time, whether in the first grades or in some advanced subject in the upper

classes are in reality showing the first actual results of the course.

The subject matter is very well arranged and progresses as the child mind grows and develops, for it has been proven conclusively that it is time wasted to try to teach first year pupils something they cannot comprehend until the fifth year of school. The time and tune elements, particularly the former, are given definite names merely as a device for teaching children a very easy way to interpret a page of music for themselves and not tending in any way to change the laws or terminology of notation.

The books in use at the present time are without a doubt the best material for the course, although a book itself can never constitute a system. A desk book has been purchased which contains a very complete outline, with helpful hints for the teacher.

During the year it has been necessary to give special attention to classes that were not "up to grade" in music by simplifying the lessons and thoroughly reviewing work of previous years, with the result that they were soon able to do regular work of the grade.

The High school chorus is exceptionally good this year and with the unusually mature boys' voices, we are able to make the music period very interesting. We have learned selections from Grieg, Schubert's "Erl King" and parts of the opera "Martha" to good effect. Last September the High school hall was far too crowded for the pupils to sing conveniently, accordingly time was arranged on another day for the ninth grade. This change has proven a good thing for the grade as they are now quite independent and are doing better work by themselves; it also gives an opportunity to watch the changing voices of the boys to a better advantage. A girls' glee club of about thirty voices has been formed and likewise a small orchestra has proven a very acceptable addition to the school life.

Supervisors have a very difficult task to perform in trying to fight the tide of popular music. Its effects upon our young people are alarming, but by keeping the best in music before them in school, we are turning the tide to some degree. The Victrola and the folk music together are furnishing a cultural basis for the uplift of good music.

In closing I desire to thank you and the committee for your generous support, and those who are co-operating with me in the school room for the best results.

Respectfully,

MABELLE PROCTOR COUNCE.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF WRITING

MR. ARTHUR B. WEBBER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I submit the following report on writing. This work, which I commenced in March, has been going on very satisfactorily, and we can now find good results in every grade of muscular, movement writing.

In the primary grades attention is centered on developing free, easy movement. C. C. Lister's book is used in the first two grades and good results are obtained by using this as a guide for the children.

The Palmer manual is used in every grade, beginning with the third grade. By following the manual, I hope to cover thirty drills in the third grade, sixty drills in the fourth grade, and one hundred drills in the fifth grade. Grades six, seven and eight will be able to finish the work in the manual, and write a good business hand. The improvement is noticeable in all rooms, but especially in the upper Grammar grades. Several pupils of these grades received diplomas last June for excellence in penmanship. Other awards, pins and buttons, were given by the A. N. Palmer Company for good work. We will soon commence working for these awards.

I have endeavored to help the individual, as well as the class as a whole, by correcting the work of the chil-

dren, every third week, and offering helpful criticisms and suggestions. In this way I find out those who need special help.

The object in teaching this method is to obtain rapid, legible business writing; but special emphasis is laid on a good, healthful position, so that physical training is also considered.

I extend my sincere thanks to you, to the committee, and to the teachers for their good, faithful work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY V. REUSCH,
Supervisor of Writing.

Statistics for the Year Ending June 23, 1913

Number of public day schools	27
Number of persons in town Sept. 1, 1913, between five and fifteen	1170
Boys 614—Girls 556	
Number of persons in town between seven and fourteen	798
Boys 426—Girls 372	
Number over fifteen	241
Number between seven and fourteen	755
Average membership	1061.54
Average attendance	957.27
Percent of attendance	91.7
Number completing grammar school course	94
Boys 52—Girls 42	
Number entering first year of high school	82
Boys 43—Girls 39	
Number of graduates	32
Boys 13—Girls 19	
Aggregate number of months all schools kept	256
Average number of months	9
Valuation of Stoneham May 1, 1913	$5,352,080.00
Valuation of school houses and lots	122,000.00
Estimated value of books and apparatus	4,800.00
Total cost for support of schools	39,911.42
Total cost for repairs	1673.13
Total cost to town for support per pupil	37.57

SHOWING REPORT OF EYE AND EAR TESTS
September 1913

Number of pupils enrolled	1074
Number found very defective in eyesight	129
Number found defective in hearing	21
Number of parents notified	157

ROSTER OF TEACHERS FOR YEAR 1913-1914

Name	School-Grade	Elected	Enrol.	Educated	Home Address	Town Address
Charles J. Emerson	High IX-XIII	June 1895	306	Bates College		23 Green st.
John B. Alley	"	June 1912		Salem Com'l School	Lynn	
Ethel Sandell	"	Sept. 1913		Mass. Col. of Com.	Dorchester	4 Green st.
Florence L. Sherman	"	Aug. 1904		Boston University	Barnstable	13 Pomeworth st.
Edna McPherson	"	Jan. 1912		Mt. Holyoke College	Portland, Me.	89 Central st.
Lenora Bessey	"	Mar. 1905		Colby College		31 Cedar ave.
Eva M. Garland	"	July 1905		Colby College	Portsmouth, N. H.	13 Pomeworth st.
Frances Hutchinson	"	June 1913		Colby College	Haverhill	4 Green st.
Josephine Leach	"	June 1912		Mt. Holyoke College	Reading	
Helen I. Stevens	"	June 1912		S. H. S.	Melrose Hlds.	
Edward Whittemore	Dean VIII	July 1913	29	Dow Academy N. H. State Normal	Littleton, N. H.	24 Pond st.
Eva F. Hard	" VIII	July 1872	29	S. H. S.		79 Franklin st.
Katherine A. Devlin	" VIII	July 1912	31	S. H. S., Salem Normal		Summerhill st.
Alice V. Peyton	" VIII	Mar. 1885	38	S. H. S., Salem Normal		60 Hancock st.
Ermina Dike	" VII	Aug. 1881	34	S. H. S. Bridge. Nor.		48 Pleasant st.
Lena Dickenson	" VII	Sept. 1908	39	Wiscasset, Me., High Som. Lat., Farm. Nor.	Wiscasset, Me.	249 Main st.
Fannie A. Davis	" VI	July 1903	42	S. H. S., Bridge. Nor.	So. Framingham	249 Main st.
Georgia A. Collins	" VI	July 1913	41	Hyannis Normal		4 Green st.
Elizabeth W. Crowell	Center VI	July 1908	41	Farmington Normal	Augusta, Me.	249 Main st.
Alice H. Smith	" V	July 1897	37	S. H. S., Salem Normal	West Newbury	31 Chestnut st.
Lilley B. Sweetser	" IV	July 1900	34	Newton High		50 Hancock st.
Lucy A. Walsh	" III	July 1908	27	Salem Normal		200 Franklin st.
Alice M. Walsh	" II	July 1899	28	S. H. S., 1 yrs. training Grades 1 to 6		200 Franklin st.
Kathlen E. Desmond	" I	July 1903	35	S. H. S., Salem Normal		65 Elm st.
Florence H. Graham	North V	Aug. 1910	31	S. H. S.		21 Hersam st.

Hilla A. Hedburg	"	II-III	Jan. 1912	22	Rhode Island Nor.		19 North st.
Mary E. Brown	"	I	Apr. 1905	15	Girls' Lat., Boston, 2 yrs. Train. in Grades		21 High st.
Louise Maxwell	East	V	Aug. 1913	24	Salem Normal		58 Elm st.
Priscilla Hinchcliffe	"	III-IV	Sept. 1911	30	Special Salem Nor.		2 East st.
Mabel B. Wilson	"	II	Dec. 1913	38	Johnson, Vt., Nor.		4 Green st.
Gerda Huntoon	"	I	Aug. 1913	26	Plymouth Nor.		4 Green st.
Laura L. Stevens	South	V	July 1910	24	Bates College		79 Lincoln st.
Helen Devlin	"	III-IV	Dec. 1913	33	Salem Normal		29 Summerhill st.
Helen L. Briggs	"	II	Apr. 1907	22	Quincy Training		249 Main st.
Wilda Briggs	"	I	Aug. 1913	35	Salem Normal		79 Lincoln st.
Mabelle P. Counce	Music		Sept. 1911		N. E. Conservatory		35 Warren st.
Evelyn F. Cross	Drawing		July 1895		Normal Art		377 Main st.
Marion F. Shepard	Sewing		Sept. 1911		Simmons College		
Walter F. Brackett	Manual Training		Apr. 1905				24 Maple st.
Edward J. Connolly	Military Inst.		Sept. 1911				
Mabel Reusch	Writing		Nov. 1913				

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT BY GRADES DECEMBER FIRST

GRADES	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913
1	149	135	146	146	147	150	131	142	*91	107	110
2	144	120	142	129	132	116	128	135	*66	91	117
3	122	160	148	132	127	132	130	151	*65	64	98
4	122	117	141	123	124	132	116	116	*126	89	74
5	124	119	85	137	132	127	128	119	143	115	98
6	103	106	110	97	119	114	129	146	116	144	99
7	84	102	92	109	103	124	118	129	146	108	127
8	75	76	80	68	76	80	86	88	92	96	90
9	57	76	77	80	72	79	75	76	88	78	76
High School 10	46	44	52	51	68	44	57	59	67	69	75
High School 11	35	42	36	37	36	46	38	39	52	51	60
High School 12	38	29	28	33	31	29	41	44	40	38	46
High School 13	19	27	19	18	24	21	23	23	18	24	32
Ungraded											3
Totals	1118	1153	1156	1160	1191	1194	1200	1269	*1110	1074	1105

* Falling off due to opening of the Parochial School

Report of

School Physician

GENTLEMEN OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

I have the honor to make the following report concerning the health of our school children for the past year. Stoneham has added another year to its list as free from epidemics of dangerous contagious diseases. While it has been necessary in our neighboring towns to close schools from time to time on account of these invasions, we have been spared. I do not attribute this, however, to any special precautions or wise measures on our part, but simply to the fact that we live in a town which nature has blessed far above many others in a wonderful natural drainage. I have had also less emergency calls this past year.

On making the examinations, from time to time, of the rooms, one cannot but be struck by the healthful, rugged condition of the children. Of course the relief that has come to the congestion of the rooms has been a great benefit, as a larger proportionate amount of oxygen is supplied for the individual than formerly.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS E. PARK.

Report of the

Committee on Repairing Fire Station

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Your Committee appointed at the annual meeting in March have attended to their duty and the building is now in very fair condition, considering its age and structural defects. For detail of expenditure see auditors' report.

LOUIS F. BRUCE.
ALBERT J. SMITH.
CHARLES E. CLOUTMAN.

Report of the

Committee on Universal Fire Alarm Box

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Your Committee appointed at the annual meeting in March, purchased a box of the Gamewell Company and installed it at the fire station on Tidd street. Twelve alarms have been given from this box and it has proven its value in several cases by enabling the department to get the alarm much quicker than it could otherwise have done.

LOUIS F. BRUCE.
ALBERT J. SMITH.
CHARLES E. CLOUTMAN.

Report of the
Park Commissioners

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The report will, from necessity, be brief, as at a town meeting held March 31, 1913, the town refused to make an appropriation of $1552.50 to remove 2068 cubit yards of surface between Washington and Capen streets to Calthea street.

At a special town meeting, held July 5, 1913, we asked consent of the town to sell the house on the playground, as it was being destroyed and fast going to ruin, but was refused.

Now if the citizens of the town wish the playground put in proper shape, money must be appropriated to do the work; and we recommend an appropriation of $1552.50 for that purpose.

In case the appropriation is refused, we recommend that the whole premises be disposed of, and articles will be inserted in the next town warrant covering the same.

Respectfully submitted,

SYLVESTER A. LAWRENCE,
HERBERT P. HOWE,
JOHN WALSH,
Park Commissioners.

Report of the

Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—Following is a report of the financial transactions for the year 1913, viz:

Received from sale of lots	$633.00
Received from sale of graves	115.00
Received from care, maintenance and repairs	1,008.75
Received for foundations	92.25
Received for opening graves	356.00
Received for sale of wood, grass, etc.	18.00
Received for perpetual care of lots	937.50
Total receipts	$3,160.50
Balance from 1912 account	1,500.24
Total credits	$4,660.74
Bills paid as per Auditors' report	3,579.46
Balance to credit of cemetery	$1,081.28

PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS

Amount of fund January 1, 1913	$18,422.84
Deposits for care of eighteen lots	2,800.00
Present amount of fund	$21,222.84
Amount expended for care, 1913	937.50

OLD BURYING GROUND

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended as per Auditors' report	33.23
Unexpended	$1.77

MATILDA M. DALE FUND

Amount of fund January 1, 1913 . .	$26.75
Interest and dividends . . .	1.00
Present amount of fund . . .	$27.65

For all details see report of Auditors and Treasurer. We shall ask for the unexpended balance to be appropriated for the use of Lindenwood Cemetery for 1914.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED E. NICKERSON,
CHARLES C. DIKE,
CHARLES W. MESSER,
DAVID A. ABBOTT,
WINFRED DIKE,
Trustees Lindenwood Cemetery.

Report of the

Board of Assessors

TO THE CITIZENS OF STONEHAM:

We respectfully submit the following report of the valuation of estates real and personal, assessed in the town of Stoneham, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the year 1913:

Value of Buildings excluding Land	$2,666,336.00
Value of Land excluding Buildings	2,091,799.00
Total	$4,758,135.00
Total value of Personal Property	593,945.00
Total value of Real and Personal Estate	$5,352,080.00
Tax Rate $24.80 per Thousand	
Tax on Real Estate	$118,005.67
Tax Rate on Personal Property	14,729.94
Tax Rate on Polls	4,472.00
Total Tax	$137,207.61

Number of Residents assessed on Property	1,139
All Others	217
No. of Non-Residents assessed on Property	299
All Others	58
For Poll Tax only	1,637
Total	3,350

ASSESSED AND APPROPRIATED

Town Grant	$117,322.46
State Tax	9,920.00
County Tax	5,004.49

Sewer Tax		5,800.00
Metropolitan Water Tax		10,213.41
Wellington Bridge Tax		176.77
Metropolitan Park Tax		2,912.60
Charles River Basin Tax		501.76
State Highway Tax		79.00
Overlayings		2,289.41
Total		$154,219.90
Less Corporation and other Taxes	$6,798.88	
Less Water Rates	10,213.41	
		17,012.29
Total		$137,207.61

Whole number of Polls assessed	2,236
Number of Horses	271
" " Cows	348
" " Neat Cattle	29
" " Swine	208
" " Fowl	1,500
" " Dwellings	1,552
" " other Buildings	730
" " Acres of Land	2,475

JOHN BEST,
GEO. W. NEWHALL,
ALFRED P. RHOADES,
Assessors of Stoneham.

Report of the

Overseers of the Poor

To the Citizens of the Town of Stoneham:

We, the undersigned, submit the following report for the year ending December 31st, 1913:

The organization of the Board remained the same as in 1912, having Walter C. Bancroft, chairman; John G. Beede, supervisor of the farm, and Sylvester A. Lawrence, clerk. The Board continued James H. White, warden; Mrs. White, matron, and Dr. George W. Nickerson as town physician.

The farm has been worked very profitably, the stock well cared for and the inmates thoughtfully provided for. Death has removed during the past year one of the most trying cases the Overseers has ever had to contend with. Another inmate died at the Melrose hospital. Two other patients have been sent to the Danvers Insane hospital.

In the vicinity of a year ago the Board considered fitting up an annex at considerable expense, which would have necessitated setting up a small boiler under the west wing, or women's quarters. To heat that part of the house has always been a difficulty, which has recently been overcome by repiping the basement and removing the boiler nearer the center of the same. The house is now heated by three circuits, each independent of the other and by means of which the heat may be distributed as desired throughout the building. The system meets the approval of all who have seen it.

Few repairs have been made during the past year, but in the near future the buildings must be painted and the shed on the north side of the barn repaired.

The live stock has been kept up to the usual standard of excellence. The production of milk has been increased as the receipts indicate.

The following is a list of inmates at the farm:

INMATES DURING YEAR 1913

Samuel B. Gerry
Margaret Bailey
John B. Clough
Augustus A. Waite
Jesse K. Green
Mary Cass
Michael Nelson, Deceased
John Sullivan
William J. B. Skillings, Discharged
Margaret Sullivan, Deceased
James O'Donnell, Discharged
Mary Reagan, Discharged
A. B. York, Discharged
William E. Knights
John Mullen

POOR DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Milk	$3,578.80
Cows and Calves	487.50
Pork and Pigs	182.44
Eggs	49.85
Fowl	30.55
Board	102.00
Sundries	19.25
Total	$4,450.39

INVENTORY, 1913

Live Stock	$2,175.25
Hay, Grain, Feed, etc.	574.40
Vegetables	107.65

Wagons, Carts, Tools, etc.	$858.45
Furniture and Furnishings	1,123.35
Provisions	154.37
Fuel	298.20
Manure	277.00
Cash on Hand	49.06
Total	$5,618.73

APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE

Almshouse	$5,000.00
Barn	1,000.00
Washhouse	100.00
Shop	50.00
Milk House	25.00
Hennery	25.00
Land, lot A, north of Elm street to Broadway 12.41 acres	4,150.00
Land, lot B, north of Broadway, corner of Park avenue, 3.836 acres	750.00
Land, lot C, south of Broadway from Park avenue to Keene street, 6.112 acres	2,150.00
Land, lot D, south of Broadway from Keene street to High street, 2.964 acres	5,165.00

OUTSIDE POOR

The outside poor who have received aid during the year number 116, of whom 16 are non-residents, or have settlements in other cities or towns, or who are state charges. Two of our charges, who have been boarded in private families, have died; one is at the Boston almshouse, one at the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind Workshop and one child is boarded by the state.

We have four families provided for in accordance with Chapter 763 of the Acts of 1913, which, in substance, provides that cities and towns through the Overseers of the Poor shall furnish aid to all mothers with depen-

dent children under fourteen years of age, if such mothers are fit to care for and give their children suitable moral training.

A detailed account of the receipts and expenditures will be found in the report of the Auditors.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER C. BANCROFT,
JOHN G. BEEDE,
SYLVESTER A. LAWRENCE,
Overseers of the Poor.

Report of the

Board of Health

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Board of Health respectfully submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1913.

The health record of the town has held good during the past year there being but six cases of diphtheria, three cases of scarlet fever, sixty cases of measles, one of varicella, six of tuberculosis and two of typhoid reported by physicians.

We would call attention to the necessity of connecting houses on the line of the public sewer. We have ordered seven to make such connection, some of whom were granted an extension of time because it was so late in the season and they agreed to connect in the early spring. One case we had in the Woburn court and adjusted by the party connecting under authority of Chapter 49, Revised Laws, using a portion of the $200 appropriated by the town for that purpose.

The Board have made several investigations of conditions at the plant of the American Glue company on Maple street, the past year, and the company having complied with the recommendations of the Board, on their request of December 12, 1913, to run their factory on Maple street, it was voted, December 17, to grant a permit to manufacture gelatine (or glue,) under authority of Revised Laws 75, Section 91, to be in force from that date.

Complaints have been made about swill not being collected at times during the year. Some cases have been found where the swill had disappeared and the people thought the regular collector was taking it. The swill

would pile up; the collector had not been there for months because he found no swill on account of it being stolen. In other cases people gave their swill to an outsider and when, having disposed of his swine, he failed to call again, the result was that the swill in such instances accumulated and complaints were made against the regular collector, who was not responsible at all for such conditions. No person or persons are authorized to collect swill outside of the regular collector and we will protect him and the town's rights, even to punishing the offenders.

We have been successful in holding up bills for settlement cases by denying claims so that but $45.00 has been paid out on such claims, thus saving the town an expense of several hundred dollars the past year.

There are many things that the Board of Health might do, but it requires an expenditure of money to accomplish the same. The greater the expenses of the town, the higher the tax rate.

For statistics we refer you to the reports of our agent, George N. Green, and our plumbing inspector, Andrew J. Burnett.

Respectfully submitted,
MARTYN D. SHEEHAN, M. D.,
GEO. A. HINCHCLIFFE,
JOHN A. BOYLE,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF AGENT OF BOARD

STONEHAM, MASS., January 1, 1914.

TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH,

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1913:

Number of contagious diseases reported		78
Diphtheria	6	
Scarlet Fever	3	
Measles	60	
Varicella	1	

Tuberculosis	6	
Typhoid Fever	2	
	—	78

MONTH	DIPH.	SCARLET FEVER	MEASLES	VARICEL.	TUBER.	TYPHOID FEVER
January			1			
February	1		1			
March		2	13	1		
April			43		1	
May	1		2		3	
June	1					
July	1					
August					1	1
September	2					1
November		1			1	
	6	3	60	1	6	2

Number of deaths reported		146
Males	78	
Females	68	
	—	146
Average age of 78 Males		46
Average age of 68 Females		52

	MALES	FEMALES
Reported in January	7	5
" " February	4	7
" " March	7	8
" " April	13	5
" " May	7	10
" " June	5	4
" " July	6	2
" " August	6	11
" " September	1	4
" " October	9	4
" " November	7	4
" " December	6	4
	78	68

Burial permits issued	102
Transport permits issued	21
Brought from other towns	23
	146
Milk licenses issued	15
Plumbers' permits issued	107

Respectfully,

GEORGE N. GREEN, Agent.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

STONEHAM, MASS., January 1, 1914.

TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH,
STONEHAM, MASS.

GENTLEMEN:—I submit the following as the annual report of the Plumbing Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1913:

Number of applications received	107
" " permits granted	107
" " new buildings connected with sewer	12
" " old buildings connected with sewer	31
" " new buildings connected with cesspool	5
" " old buildings connected with cesspool	4
" " sinks installed	88
" " trays installed	32
" " water closets installed	99
" " lavatories installed	71
" " bath tubs installed	65
" " new traps installed	14
Total number of fixtures installed	369

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. BURNETT,
Inspector of Plumbing.

Report of the

Tree Warden

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

At the last March town meeting the sum of $250 was appropriated for the care of public shade trees.

This money was expended in spraying the elm trees to suppress the ravages of the elm leaf beetle, in removing worthless trees and such other trees as the Tree Warden found it expedient to remove for the benefit of certain property owners and the welfare of the trees left standing where trees had been planted too close together for their proper development. At the request of Mr. James R. Clark of No. 14 Charles street and Mr: John Feeley of No. 15 Charles street, five street trees were removed, the shade being so great that the Tree Warden considered their removal a necessity. The large elm which stood in front of the new state armory on Main street was removed at the request of the state armory commission. Trimming was done only in urgent cases owing to lack of money.

The Malden & Melrose Gas Light Company paid to the town the sum of $450 for nine shade trees which were killed by escaping gas. With this money the Tree Warden had the dead trees removed, purchased and planted eighty (80) young trees (Norway and Sugar maples) replacing those killed by gas and filling in such vacant places as seemed most suitable for their growth. For the purpose of protection, tree guards were purchased and placed around the trees. The total expense incurred was $350.08, leaving a balance of $99.92, which will be used in the purchase and planting of trees in April 1914.

In response to a request by the Tree Warden, the

Edison Electric Co., during the months of January and February, sent a team and six men to work under the direction of the Tree Warden. These men worked for seven weeks re-running wires, putting on tree insulators, trimming and setting poles, the entire expense being borne by the Edison Company, including the pay of the Tree Warden. As a result very little burning has been reported since that time.

The Tree Warden recently made an appointment with Mr. Adams, superintendent of lines for the Bay State street railway and inspected the wires of that company for the purpose of making certain improvements for the protection of the trees. This work Mr. Adams promised to begin at an early date.

The Leopard moth generally infests this locality and is doing considerable damage to orchard and shade trees, but owing to the great expense entailed in combating this insect, and considering the unsatisfactory results attained in other cities and towns where the attempt has been made, it does not seem advisable to spend money for this purpose at this time; hoping that its natural enemies will in time hold it in check.

Provisions should be made for the planting of shade trees each year to take the place of those removed. At least $100 a year should be provided for this purpose. Not less than $250 should be appropriated for the care of shade trees for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE M. JEFTS,

Tree Warden.

Report of the

Public Library Trustees

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Trustees of the Public Library herewith present their annual report.

We are pleased to record the increased and increasing use of the library and reading rooms, not only by readers, but also by students.

The schools have been benefited by the work of the Librarian, who has exhausted the resources of the library in looking up books and magazine articles relating to subjects studied and placing them where they would be easily accessible to pupils at the time needed. Many have availed themselves of this privilege with evident gratitude.

The reading room, previously rich in books of reference, has had its wealth increased by the addition of "Haydn's Dictionary of Dates," "Century Book of Facts," "Standard Reference Work," in six volumes, "Hasting's Dictionary of the Bible," "Baker's Guide to the Best Fiction," "Funk and Wagnall's Standard Dictionary," in two volumes.

The following magazines have also been added, "American City," "Bulletin of the Pan-American Union," "Boy's Life" (Boy Scouts' magazine,) "Popular Mechanics" and "N. Y. Times Saturday Review."

The circulation of magazines has given enjoyment to the patrons. Any magazine except the current number may be taken from the library and kept seven days, if desired. Current numbers, if not in use at 8.45 P. M. on Saturdays, may also be taken, but are to be returned by 3 P.M. on the following Monday.

Through the enterprise of the librarian and the

courtesy of the "Stoneham Independent, Library notes have appeared in its columns each week, giving publicity to the library and interesting information concerning it to the citizens.

The crowded condition of the basement has been somewhat relieved by the removal and disposal of worn-out books and other useless material. The library workers have long desired that this "clearing up" should be done. In the stack room and also in the children's room there is great need of weeding out the books that have outlived their usefulness by reason of being worn, shabby, soiled, out-of-date and generally unattractive. Some of these books are never read. They simply occupy space which could more profitably be filled with better and more recent material.

The lighting facilities of the library have been improved by furnishing three movable lamps with shades, one at the delivery desk and card catalogue case, one at the typewriter table and shelf list case and one at the desk in the Trustees' room. At the suggestion of the janitor and following the plan that gives satisfactory results in some other libraries, the lamps in the stack room have been raised to such a height as to avoid the need of moving them up and down at will in order to see books on all the shelves. In moving them, it was impossible not to handle the cords which soon needed to be repaired at considerable expense. This expense can be saved by the present arrangement.

Our thanks are again due to the Woman's Educational Association of Boston for the loan of two sets of photographs, which have been exhibited at the library.

We are indebted to Mr. Jones, our very efficient janitor, for many little odd jobs of work, not included in his duties as caretaker of the building.

Your particular attention is called to the report of the Librarian which follows.

For the ensuing year, the Trustees recommend the following appropriation: $1800, the dog tax, receipts and unexpended balance.

Respectfully submitted,
BENJAMIN J. HINDS,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
CHARLES H. CHASE,
CORA E. DIKE,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
SARAH A. LYNDE,
Trustees of Public Library.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Ellen Gallagher
Idanelle Thompson
Ruth DeMings

Superintendent of Building

P. C. Jones

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Stoneham Public Library:

In your report for 1911, certain definite aims were set down which the library was to fulfil. The first activity, i. e., cooperation with the public schools, has been a feature of the year. By visits to the schools, special reference questions in connection with class work have been learned and teachers in many cases have sent requests in advance of the subject to be under consideration, thus making it possible to do reference work on a larger scale. Books on special subjects have been placed in a convenient place for the pupil's consultation. Many of the teachers have taken advantage of the special privileges of borrowing books for school use. Short talks on reference books and the classification of books have been given to Grades 7, 8 and 9. It is to be hoped that these activities will continue.

A weekly library column has been conducted in the Stoneham Independent. The character of this has been for the most part confined to lists of new books, magazine articles of current interest and items of a general character.

So much for the activities outside of the library. In July and again in November a series of story-hours was held in the basement of the library, conducted by Miss Lois Rickey, who very kindly volunteered her services. The total attendance was 280 children, mostly from Grades 4 and 5.

To make many of these added tasks possible help has been required and much of this has been volunteer work. In many libraries apprentices are employed who receive instruction for services rendered and such an arrangement will probably be a definite policy hereafter.

The card catalogue, which up to the present time has been made from the author and title side with a few subject headings for the recent books will be greatly enlarged from the subject side. The task of re-cataloging

and the cataloging of the High school library will fill the spare time of the Librarian.

During the summer of 1913, the Browne charging system was installed and may be best described by printing the following article taken in part from the Stoneham Independent: The chief difference between this system and the former is that a borrower's card is not necessary. The tools required for this system are a book card upon which is written author's name, number of book and title, a book pocket which is placed on the inside of the back cover, into which the book card is placed, a date slip which is pasted on the opposite page from the book pocket and a borrower's pocket which is kept at the library. The following procedure is necessary when a book is taken out. Patrons of the library need not make out slips, merely bring book, which they wish to take home, to the desk and the desk attendant makes the necessary recording as follows: Book card taken from the book pocket, stamped with DATE DUE and the date due stamped on the date slip facing the book pocket, (this record is the essential fact which the borrower wants to know.) The book is then handed over to the borrower. The book card is slipped at once into the borrower's pocket and the two conjoined are filed under the date due. Beginning September 1, 1913, when this system went into effect, the fine charge was changed to two cents a day. The matter of re-binding books is still a great drain upon the financial resources of the library and it might be suggested that a clean hands campaign be instituted as many books show signs of careless treatment. Parents are urged to impress upon their children the need of treating the library books with as much care as their own. Just as often as books must be replaced and rebound on account of their worn and shabby condition, just so much does it subtract from the amount of the income for the recent books.

The reference use of the library has greatly increased

and the Librarian is very glad to look elsewhere for questions when the contents of the library fail. Let it be known that your own town library may become a veritable continuation school for the adult, who is not privileged to carry his education beyond the High school.

The Librarian desires to make the following acknowledgements:—To Mr. George R. Barnstead for his hearty co-operation in making the resources of the library known to its patrons; to Miss Lois Rickey for her efficient service as story-teller and to the pupils of 9th and 10th grade for help in installing the Browne Charging System.

In all this past year the Librarian has found the Board of Trustees ready and willing to co-operate in all these activities, and to them the public owe a debt of thanks for their conscientious and faithful service. To make the library serve the public to its greatest extent it is necessary that there should be the spirit of co-operation between the Trustees, the staff, and the citizens most concerned with the uplift of the community.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA L. CROCKER,
Librarian.

REPORT OF CIRCULATION

Magazines	1,145
Philosophy and Religion	236
Sociology	358
Science	363
Useful and Fine Arts	689
Literature	531
History	571
Travel	536
Biography	541
Fiction	23,131
Total	28,101
Juvenile	7,703

Number of books in the library Jan. 1, 1914	13,856
Number of books added during 1913	338
Number of people taking books	1,338
New names	476
Money taken for fines	$107.00
Incidental expenses	61.70

DONATIONS

Man of the hour, Mrs. H. F. Andrews.

Representative men of Massachusetts, gift of W. H. Sprague.

Stock Exchange from within, gift of Doubleday, Page & Co.

Suggestions for the spiritual life, gift of author, G. L. Raymond.

Pan-American Union (a monthly periodical) gift of H. C. Lodge.

Climate and weather of San Diego, Cal. From San Diego Chamber of Commerce.

Woman's suffrage, M. G. Fawcett, gift of L. H. Wardwell.

Business Side of New Thought, gift of the author, Mrs. Sarah F. Meader.

Perry, Walter S., With Azir Girges in Egypt, gift of the author.

Prophet of peace, Coolidge, gift of author.

Supplementary readers, gift of A. B. Webber.

In addition to the above the library has received various reports from the U. S. government, the state and neighboring libraries.

PERPETUAL CARE FUND—LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

NAME AND LOT NO.		DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Allen, John	377	$100 00	$3 00		$1 00	$1 00		$5 00
Ayer & Dow	440-441	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Arnold, Chas. H.	1054-5-6	200 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Bowman & Parker	110	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Best, John	488-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Baldwin, M. B.	496	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Boyce, Climina	854	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Boyce, George P.	1083	50 00	1 50		50			2 00
Byron, W. D.	701	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Beard, Padilla	449	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	$1 00	6 00
Bancroft & Chater	57	100 00	3 00	$1 00	1 00	1 00		6 00
Blaisdell, Mary	327	300 00	4 00	3 00	1 00	2 00		10 00
Babb, William	427	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Badger, Kate L,	217	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Bucknam, Stephen	588	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		4 00
Bucknam, George O.	1600	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Brown, Rebecca	531	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Berry & Chick	1231-2	150 00	4 00		1 00			5 00
Brown, Dr. W. S.	181-2	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Burdick, E. J. C.	125	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Butterfield & Lufler	79	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Brown, Samuel R.	268	100 00	3 00		1 00		1 00	5 00

Brown, L. F.	809-10	150 00	4 00		1 00	1 00		6 00
Blake, Eva W.	1075	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Brown, W. G.	281	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Bryant, L. J.	50	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Benton, L. P.	626	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Beatty, W. R.	669	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Cowdrey, Eleanor S.	102	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Curtis, Jesse	272-3	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Clay, S. J.	202	75 00	1 50		1 00	50		3 00
Carbee, Dora	1239	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Cloutman, Frank	435	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Chamberlain, Grace	1056	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Cloutman, Eliphalet	66	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Chase, Abram A.	210	150 00	4 00		1 00	1 00		6 00
Currier, Emma E.	111	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Coffin, John C.	243	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Corbett, C. W.	794	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Drew, C. H.	880	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Dike & Colley	227-8	150 00	4 00		1 00	1 00		6 00
Dike, C. C.	244-5	200 00	6 00	1 00	1 00			8 00
Dike, G. W.	249-50-1-71-2	192 00	6 00		2 00		3 00	11 00
Dike, G. L. W.	248-252-3	200 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Dike, Henry	225-6	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Dike, Hosea and Lyon	246-7	200 00	6 00	2 00	2 00			10 00
Dennis Est. A. A.	858	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Dale, Matilda	322-B	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Danforth, William	487	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50

PERPETUAL CARE FUND—LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

NAME AND LOT NO.		DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Durkee, T. G.	673-4	$200 00	$6 00	$1 00	$2 00	$2 00	$1 00	$12 00
Dewhurst, J. W.	529	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Emerson, A. & H. L.	270	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Eastman, J. H.	322	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Fay, Jerome	55-6	200 00	6 00	1 00	1 00	2 00		10 00
Farrier, Amasa	84-5	300 00	8 00	2 00	2 00			12 00
Freeman, Lena	42	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Farrar & Barnes	263	125 00	3 00	1 00	1 00			5 00
Fry, L. M.	173	125 00	3 00	1 00	1 00			5 00
Fall, Chas. D.	242	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Fogg, Mary I.	1037	75 00	1 50		1 00	50		3 00
Green, N. W.	1030	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Goodness, C. A.	887	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Gerry, Elbridge	312-13	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Galletley, William	1213	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Gerry, Arad	571-2	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Green, Stephen	945	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Green, Perley	347	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Gilmore, Onslow	881-2	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Gerry, Ira	A	300 00	8 00	1 50	2 00	2 00		13 50
Gerry, Delia	306-7	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Herrick, Henry	65	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	3 00	8 00

Howard. Fred	697	75 00	2 00		1 00	1 00		4 00
Howard, J. F.	462	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hersam, Isaac	443-4	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hersam, R. & A. R.	728-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Hersam, Orin	378-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hall, G. T. A.	149	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Hawkins, Edward	129	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Howe & Tyler	65	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hildreth, S. K.	73	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hill & Messer	936	50 00	1 50		1 00	1 00		3 50
Hayes, Watson A.	744	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Huntoon, Oscar	497	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hill, Aaron	636-7	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hanscom, Joseph	318	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hopkins, Nathan	286	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hodgdon, Mary	1023	200 00	4 00	3 00	1 00	1 00		9 00
Horne, Richard	1210	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hayes, William	213	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hadley, W. F.	909	50 00	1 50		1 00	1 00		3 50
Harris, F. P.	710	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Horne, A. S.	463	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hook, Augustus	493	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Hill, John	119-302-3	250 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Heath, D. W.	268-9	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Heath, John A.	1003	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Jennings, S. W.	896	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Johnson, Clara C.	616	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50

PERPETUAL CARE FUND—LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

NAME AND LOT NO.		DEPOSIT	AN. CAR	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Jones, H. H.	457	$100 00	$3 00		$1 00			$4 00
Johnston, John	1078	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Jameson, Helen	1077	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Jaquith, Moses	490	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Ireland Est. T. S.	I	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Kelley, Mrs. William	232	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Lawrence, E. B.	867	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Loud, N.	914	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Lewis, Mary	861	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Lovejoy, Joseph A.	633	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Lombard, David	660	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Leavitt, W. A.	1502	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Lahey, Thomas	1006-10	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Leeds, Joseph	178-88-89	200 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Manning. Ann E.	1237	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Melvin, C. B.	174	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Martin & Acers	92	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Newhall, G. W.	1233	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Oldfield, Florence W.	1329	100 00	3 00		1 00			5 00
Pike, Forrest W.	1001	100 00	3 00		1 00			5 00
Pierce & Quimby	98	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Pierce, E. W.	472	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00

Pierce, J. D.	1204	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Putney, G. H.	533	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Pinkham, Susan C.	577	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Parmenter, E. T.	1245	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Keene, Ione	1203	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Robbins, R. H.	695	75 00	2 00		1 00	1 00		4 00
Richardson, Preston	1208	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Richardson, Osborn	280	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Richardson, Lucinda	338-9	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Richardson, Malichia	433-4	200 00	6 00		2 00	2 00		10 00
Richardson, Thad.	430-1	200 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Richardson & Willey	418	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Shaw, George F.	623	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Skinner & Milliken	248	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Stone, Charles	90	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	5 00	10 00
Sturtevant, M. J.	606	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Stevens, Darius	398	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Spiller, G. H.	480	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Spencer, J. W.	100	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Sprague & Hopkins	830	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Shurburn & Sweetser	807-8	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Snow, W. B.	789	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Scribner, Eben	805	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Sprague, Will	576	70 64	2 00		1 00			4 00
Smith, J. G.	793	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Steele, John	191-2-3-308-9-10-11	400 00	12 00		4 00			16 00
Tidd, Est. William	682	1250 00	25 00		5 00			30 00

PERPETUAL CARE FUND—LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

NAME AND LOT NO.		DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Tuckett, John	952	$100 00	$3 00		$1 00			$4 00
Theobald, Joseph	1229	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	$1 00	6 00
Tilton, Lucinda	82	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Taylor, Seth E.	617	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Tredick, Charles	680	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Tredick, A. H.	267	200 00	6 00		2 00	1 00		9 00
Thorp, Elbridge	659	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Turner, F. P.	711	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Thompson, P. C.	942	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Thompson, H. J.	795	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Townsend, S. W.	738	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Thompson & Wilsey	155	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Tibbetts, Susan	487	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Tibbetts, Elizabeth	1019	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Valler, M. H.	1036	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Vickery, M. S.	570A	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Vinton & Richardson	381	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Whittier, E. T.	176	150 00	4 00		1 00	1 00		6 00
Whittier, F. L.	828	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Whittier, W. E.	537	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Williams, Micha	1058	200 00	6 00		2 00	2 00		10 00
Willey, Mary	1302	200 00	6 00		2 00	2 00		10 00

Wright, G. E.	899	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Willey, H. P.	124	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Weed, Samuel	295	60 00	2 00		1 00	1 00		4 00
Wardwell, H. C.	239	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Whitcher & Marston	61-2	150 00	4 00		1 00			5 00
Walton, Lewis S.	1084	50 00	1 00		1 00			2 50
Willey, S. H.	519	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
		20372 84	$584 00	$17 50	$194 50	$110.00	$25 00	$931 00

Report of the

Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Board of Selectmen respectfully submit their report for the year 1913 as follows:

The Board of Public Works was abolished by vote of the Town at a special meeting March 30. The supervision of the Highway, Sewer and Water Departments continued in charge of Superintendent Dexter G. Pratt under the direction of the Selectmen until his resignation was received and accepted May 1. As noted elsewhere in this report, Cornelius J. Sweeney came here early in May and assumed charge of these departments and a few weeks later was appointed Superintendent of Public Works for a period of three years, the appointment being made in conformity to the law establishing the new office. Mr. Sweeney has kept in close touch with the Selectmen and the Superintendent and members of the Board have co-operated in an endeavor to give the Town one hundred cents value for every dollar expended—with what result the Board leaves to the judgment of our citizens.

Financial difficulties confronted the present administration at the start and have a have been a handicap not easily overcome. A legacy of about $5400 in unpaid bills was handed down from the previous year, approximately divided as follows:

Sewer, $94.74; Water, $4,374.07; Highways, $936.94; (this including Perkins Street appropriation overdrawn $230.34, and Concrete $182.63.) This placed the Board, as can be imagined, in rather an embarrassing position.

Early in the year also it was found necessary to devote considerable time to the adjustment of numerous claims for alleged overcharges in the matter of sewer and water connections, evidently the accumulations of several years. However, the same have been adjusted at the present writing.

Some criticism was occasioned during the early summer by the delay in oiling the highways, according to the vote of the Town. This however, was unavoidable as Superintendent Sweeney found the streets in no condition for treatment with oil and considerable surface preparation and repairs had first to be made, during which time the dust was laid with water as best could be.

As noted in the Town Clerk's report, where the full correspondence is given, the Town has received material assistance in its highway work from the County Commissioners. In response to the petition of the Board, the County Commissioners viewed Main street after a public hearing July 10, and awarded $1000 to the Town toward rebuilding that thoroughfare from Marble Street to Franklin Street. Of this amount $500 has been received and the remainder is due when the Town completes its work on the westerly side of the street. The County's contribution of $200 on Hill Street has been paid, and from the same source $837.50 has been received on account of Perkins Street.

The Board has been in frequent correspondence with the officials of the Bay State Street Railway Company and on November 18th held an interview with President Sullivan and other officials of the road relative to the improvement of the Fells Line service, as a result of which material benefits may be expected. Also complaints have been made to the officials of the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. as to the local service and as a result assurance has been received that within the coming year certain improvements will be made (including the doing away with the antiquated crank and bell system)

that will necessitate the erection of a new central telephone exchange.

The Board has petitioned the Massachusetts Highway Commission for a portion of the fees received from the registration of automobiles, same to be expended in rebuilding Franklin Street.

FINANCES

For a detailed statement of the financial condition of the Town, we refer you to the printed report of the Auditors to be found elsewhere in this book.

In April, Herbert H. Richardson Esq. was reappointed Town Counsel and we are of the opinion that the legal welfare of the Town has been well and carefully looked after. The wisdom of having a legal adviser regularly retained is apparent. Each year matters referred to the Town Counsel for advice and defence materially increase in volume and a corresponding increase in salary over what is paid at present is needed. The report of the Town Counsel is as follows:

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:—

At your request I hereby submit to you my report for the past year, my third as Town Counsel.

LAW SUITS NOW PENDING AGAINST THE TOWN IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

The Quimby & Ferguson sewer suits for $35,000, action of contract, covering claims in relation to sewer operations for 1896. In the above cases hearings have been resumed before Judge Bragg as auditor and an offer of compromise advantageous to the Town has been made by Lowell & Lowell, Attorneys for the plaintiffs in the sum of $3,000, action on which should be taken at the March meeting.

The O'Loughlin & McMahon sewer suits, action of tort, reported last year.

Suits of Benjamin F. Creamer, Viola Creamer, Rosalind Creamer, Margaret Creamer and Joseph Creamer, actions of tort, in the sum of $5,000 each for alleged injuries received by pollution of water in well on Play Ground.

Suit of William P. Dyer, action of tort, in the sum of $1,000 for damage to property on Wright Street Court, occasioned by change of street grade.

SETTLED

Claim of Mary E. Fisher for personal injuries received by reason of defect in sidewalk on Hersam Street, for $100.

Claim of Walter Hannaford, personal injuries received by reason of defect on Pleasant Street, for $25.

Claim of Harold B. Wellman, personal injuries received by reason of defect on Pleasant Street near Franklin Street, for $100. (Settled without suit.)

THE McCARTHY CASE.

The McCarthy Case. The suit of Jennie McCarthy vs. Town of Stoneham, an action of tort, in the sum of $4,000 for personal injuries received on Montvale Avenue near its junction with Chestnut Street, which was entered in the Superior Court in February, came on for jury trial for December at East Cambridge and plaintiff was awarded $1,000. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court on exceptions.

J. E. Britton, attorney for the Maryland Casualty Company (carrying the Town insurance) appeared with the Town Counsel for the defence.

SUITS BROUGHT

Two suits have been brought in the Superior Court against the Stoneham Tanning Company, to enforce payment of taxes and water rates due the town and are now pending. Since their entry, the Stoneham Tanning Company has been adjudged bankrupt.

At the request of your Honorable Board, I have attended

the several hearings of the Commission on Apportionment of the Expense of Construction of Bridges connecting Chelsea and Boston and have opposed the inclusion of the Town in the pro rata expense of such construction. On December 31, arguments of Counsel were heard. The finding of the Commission has not, at this writing, been announced.

I have also appeared at several legislative hearings on matters affecting the welfare of the Town, and have been in consultation with ex-Governor Bates relative to the suit brought by the Town against the Commonwealth under authority of Chapter 689 of the Acts of 1912, being an act to provide for determining damages to be paid to the Town of Stoneham by reason of taking of Spot Pond for the Metropolitan Water Works.

During the year I have been in regular attendance at the weekly sessions of the Town Board and have given opinions and have drawn legal documents when requested.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) HERBERT H. RICHARDSON,

Town Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

No change in the personnel of the department has occurred during the past year, four regular officers comprising the strength of the force. Whether or not this number is large enough to insure efficient administration of police routine is a question. The grave menace to the safety of the townspeople occasioned by the increased automobile traffic has brought up the question of its proper regulation. Two fatalities from automobile accidents have resulted in Town this year, and it has been felt in some quarters that our police have not coped at all successfully with the problem. The Selectmen have emphasized the necessity existing for the full enforcement of the automobile speed laws on the

part of the police department and we feel that there has been an improvement of late in this respect.

The annual report of the Police Department submitted by Sumner H. Green, Captain, is herewith presented.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:—I submit the following report of the work of the Police Department for the year ending December 31st, 1913:

Sumner H. Green, Captain; Patrolmen, John C. C. Small, James J. Scally, John G. O'Brien.

Number of Arrests,	153
Males	146
Females	7
Residents	103
Non-Residents	50

Causes of Arrests

Assault and Battery	2
Adulterated Food	2
Abandoned Child	1
Bastardy	2
Breaking and Entering	1
Cruelty to Animals	1
Drunkenness	75
Disturbing the Peace	5
Detaining and Concealing Milk Cans	1
Gaming	10
Insane	5
Larceny	11
Maintaining a Dance Without a License	1
Non-Support	10
Peddling Without a License	2
Profanity	1
Setting Fires	3
Stubborn Child	3

Tramps	2
Vagrants	1
Violation Automobile Laws	3
Violation Lord's Day	1
Violation Town By-Laws	1
Violation State Board of Health Rules	6
Violation (Chapter 21, Sec. 24, R. L.) Not Obeying Rules of Almhouse	1
Watered Milk	2

Disposition of Cases

Number of Fines Imposed	38
Amount of Fines Imposed	$292
Amount of Fines Paid Town	$258
Amount of Fines Paid State	$10
Appealed Cases	9
Asylum	5
Complaints Dismissed	6
Continued	19
Discharged	4
Grand Jury	1
Placed on File	27
Released	5
Turned Over to Out-of-Town Officers	4
Suspended Sentences	2
Sentenced to House of Correction	13
Sentenced to Massachusetts Reformatory	1
Sentenced to State Farm	6
Sentenced to Sherburne	1
Search Warrants Served	5
Accidents Reported	20
Buildings Found Open	16
Specially Protected	9
Dead Bodies Cared for	2
Complaints Investigated	371

Detailed to Public Assemblages	214
Detailed to Private Assemblages	30
Defects in Gas Pipes	5
Defects in Water Pipes	10
Defects in Streets and Sidewalks	27
Defects in Electric Lights	123
Defects in Wires	14
Dogs Killed	4
Lost Children Reported	14
Lanterns in Dangerous Places	142
Stray Teams Cared For	2
Sick and Disabled People Assisted	12
Officers at Fires	
Number Prisoners Cared for in Lockup	81

In submitting my report I wish to thank your Honorable Board, the Officers and all Citizens who in any way have assisted me in the performance of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

SUMNER H. GREEN,

Captain of Police and Lockup Keeper.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

This department is still under the charge of Mr. George B. Williams. For a detailed statement of his work, we refer you to his report.

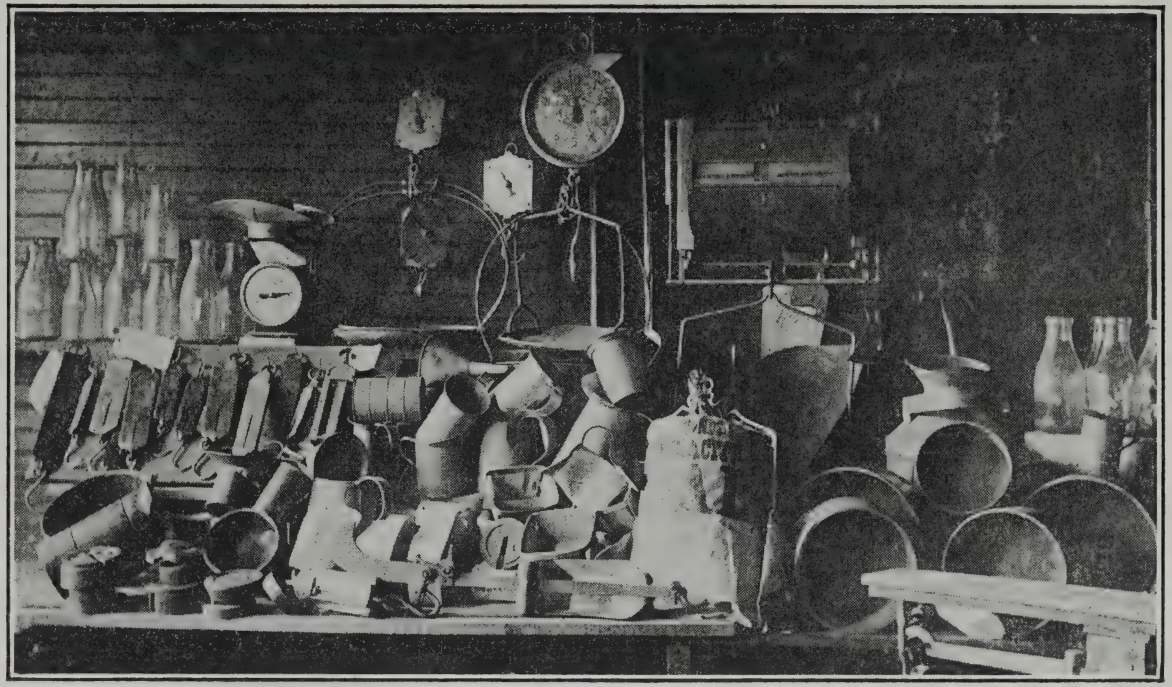
SUMMARY OF THE YEARS WORK

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:—I respectfully submit herewith the annual report of this department to December 31, 1913.

Many inspections have been made during the past year. These inspections show although a general improvement in the work, there remains in some places much to be desired if the public is to receive the protection which the law is intended to afford.

No. of platform scales over 5000 lbs., sealed	4
Total	4
No. of platform scales under 5000 lbs., sealed	30
No. of platform scales under 5000 lbs., condemned	2
Total	32
No. of computing scales, sealed	9
No. of computing scales, condemned	5
Total	14
No. of all other scales, sealed	118
No. of all other scales, condemned	35
No. of all other scales, adjusted	2
Totals	155
No. of weights, sealed	323
No. of weights, condemned	3
No. of weights, adjusted	120
Total	446
No. of dry measures, sealed	19
Total	19
No. of liquid measures, sealed	183
No. of liquid measures, condemned	3
Total	186
No. of yard sticks, sealed	37
Total	37
No. of measuring pumps, sealed	14
No. of measuring pumps, condemned	5
Total	19



CONDEMNED ARTICLES SEIZED BY SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

No. of slot weighing scales, sealed	4
No. of slot weighing scales, condemned	2
Total	6

If the milk dealers, some of whom use a great number of jars each year, should submit to this office for inspection and approval, a gross of jars every two months, thus assuring the sealer that no change has been made in capacity the public would be fully protected and the department spared the expenditure of a large amount of time that might be more profitably employed.

In the matter of complaints my experience has been that a large number of them come from persons who are unwilling to allow the use of their names and very often the complainants should have recourse to other departments.

While I make no claims that the work of this department is perfect, or any where near perfection, I think I may say at the close of this year that the merchants of Stoneham are satisfied with its work, and are ready and willing to help it in any way they properly can.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. B. WILLIAMS,

Sealer Weights and Measures.

JURORS DRAWN.

January 6, Omar O. Frederick, James E. Fulton.

March 24, Oscar J. Richardson, George L. Moulton, Alonzo R. Parks, Albert N. Aldrich, Frank P. Harris, James P. McGovern, Frank H. Middlebrook, George H. Blodgett.

September 22, Oliver G. Fowle, Myron G. Messer, William Haymand.

November 24, Fred E. Kerns, Robert E. Sheridan.

December 22, Albert A. Holden, Chester A. Newhall, W. Padilla Gray.

December 29, Justin A. Wilson, Charles H. Parsons.

STREET LIGHTS.

Incandescent lights have been installed as follows: One on Main street between North street and Reading Town line; one on North street between Main street and Wakefield Town line; one on Forest street near residence of Pingree; one on Pond street northerly from Phinney's Terrace; one on Brackett avenue; one on Garden road.

The arc light at the corner of Washington and Elm streets has been discontinued and in its place three incandescent lights have been installed in the vicinity. Discontinued arc light corner Pomworth and Williams streets, and installed three incandescent lights to take its place; also discontinued arc light at corner Pond and Hancock streets and installed in its place three incandescent lights.

In the opinion of the Board, better lighting service would be obtained without additional expense by discontinuing other arc lights in several sections of the Town and installing an increased number of incandescent lights in their stead.

The contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for lighting the streets still has a period of nine years to run.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The efficiency of the fire department, without question the equal of any call department in the state, has been further increased by the installation of a Universal fire alarm box, during the past year, which gives residents of the outlying sections of the town excellent service and by the addition of a permanent pair of horses for the ladder truck. The wisdom of the purchase of the motor combination truck has been repeatedly demonstrated.

There have been changes in the board of engineers as follows: Charles E. Cloutman resigned as assistant engineer

in April. The vacancy was filled by the appointment of Joseph Tansey.

In December, the board of engineers reorganized with Albert J. Smith chief and Joseph Tansey and L. F. Bruce assistant engineers. The personnel and discipline of the fire department continues excellent.

The detailed report of the fire engineers:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—The Board of Engineers of the Fire Department respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1913. During the year there have been forty bell alarms, seven still and three fires for which no alarm was given, as follows:

January 10. Dwelling on Maple street, owned and occupied by heirs of Henry F. Andrews. Cause, defective chimney.

January 29. Dwelling, 38 Marble street, owned and occupied by Joseph Butler. Cause, spontaneous combustion.

January 29. Unoccupied shed on Franklin street, owned by Charles Miller. Cause unknown.

January 31. Brush fire on land of John B. Tidd. Cause unknown.

February 12. Still alarm. Dwelling corner Maple and Wright streets. Chimney on fire.

Febuary 13. Dwelling 1 Spring street owned by Margaret Flynn, occupied by Thomas Croke. Caused by thawing water pipes.

February 18. Shoe factory owned and occupied by Healey Brothers, 4 Rafferty street. Cause unknown. The dwellings of Patrick Rafferty and Alfred T. Peacock on Rafferty street and Ernest Healey on Cedar avenue also caught fire from sparks.

February 19. Still alarm for fire in ruins of Healey Brothers factory.

February 19. Factory of Vera Chemical Co., Central street. Caused by hot ashes.

February 26. Dwelling, 37 Marble street, owned by Bridget McDonald, occupied by Arthur B. Webber. No fire. Alarm given for steam escaping from boiler.

Feb. 26. Shed west of Parkway. Owned and occupied by Cora Dike. Cause unknown.

March 18. Brush fire in Alden's woods, north of Spring street. Cause unknown.

March 24. Brush fire on land of N. B. Fiske, west of Main street. Cause unknown.

March 29. Brush fire on land of Annie M. Rhuland, south of North street. Cause unknown.

April 9. Brush fire north of Spring street. Cause unknown.

April 10. Barn, 120 Franklin street, owned by heirs of G. H. Goodwin. Occupied by Mrs. G. H. Goodwin. No alarm given. Cause sparks from bonfire.

April 20. Dwelling on Main street, owned and occupied by Mrs. J. F. Coleman. Cause, sparks from chimney.

April 22. Still alarm. Brush fire north of Montvale avenue. Cause unknown.

April 22. Fire on land of G. Andrews, corner of Maple and Ledge streets. Caused by burning over grass land.

April 26. Dwelling 25 Washington street, owned and occupied by Hattie M. Chamberlain. Cause unknown.

May 20. Still alarm for brush fire north of Franklin street. Cause unknown.

May 21. Fire on land of Cora Dike, west of Parkway. Caused by burning over grass.

May 29. Dwelling corner of Main and Hancock streets. Owned by J. A. Stockwell. Occupied by J. Shanley. Caused by hanging clothes near stove.

May 31. Dwelling, 91 Williams street. Owned and occupied by Thomas C. Treadwell. Caused by electric light wires.

June 15. Storehouse in rear of P. Cogan & Sons' shoe factory. No alarm given. Cause unknown.

July 3. Still alarm. Shed on north side of Franklin street, owned by John G. Bryant. Cause incendiary.

July 3. Still alarm. Couch burning on Franklin St., between Pond and Summer streets. Cause unknown.

July 4. Shed in rear of 65 Spring street, owned by Mrs. Joseph Dewhurst. Cause unknown.

July 4. False alarm.

July 5. Fire in woods off Franklin street, near Stevens street. Cause unknown.

July 11. Small building east of Park Way, owned by N. B. Fiske. Cause unknown.

July 20. Alarm for fire in woods near Spring street, sent in from Observation Station, Wakefield. No fire could be found.

July 22. Fire on land of Frank J. Reynolds, northeast of Summerhill street. Cause unknown.

July 30. False alarm.

August 2. Pile of rubbish on land of Geo. C. McIntosh, north of William street. Cause unknown.

August 2. Dwelling, 5 Gould street, owned by heirs of Wm. Tidd. Occupied by Charles D. Fall. Cause, lightning.

August 19. Greenhouse, corner of Spring and East streets. Owned and occupied by Andrew Christensen. Cause unknown.

September 14. False alarm.

September 22. Dwelling, corner of Franklin and Summer streets. Owned and occupied by Hattie R. Hume. Cause unknown.

October 13. Alarm for fire in woods near Spring street, sent in from Observation Station, Wakefield. No fire could be found.

October 31. Small hut in woods south of Franklin St. Cause unknown.

November 6. Needless alarm for fire in dwelling, 14 Minot street. Occupied by W. E. Newhall.

November 17. Dwelling, 17 Green street. Owned and occupied by George E. Stackpole. Cause, overheated fireplace.

November 22. Brush fire on south side of Franklin street. Cause unknown.

November 22. Brush fire on land of Felspa Spring Water Co., Spring street. Cause unknown.

December 14. False alarm.

December 22. Brush fire west of Isabella street. Cause unknown.

December 25. Dwelling, 38 Hancock street, owned and occupied by Edward Comeau. Caused by candle setting table on fire. No alarm given.

During the year property to the value of $108,880.00 has been endangered by fire. On this there was a gross loss of $65,501.75, more than three-fourths of which was caused by the fire at Healey Bros.' factory, which was doomed before the alarm was given. Insurance has been paid to the amount of $55,028.09, leaving a net loss of $10,473.66.

8800 feet of hose and 822 feet of ladders have been used at fires during the year.

The steam fire engine, which has done good service for nearly twenty-three years, with very few repairs, is in need of a thorough overhauling, which will make it practically as good as new, and we recommend that an appropriation be made for that purpose. The fire alarm system has been in service nearly twenty-four years. While we have for several years rebuilt portions of it, there is still quite a large amount of the original wire in service. This wire is in bad shape and should be replaced as soon as possible, and we recommend that an appropriation be made for that purpose.

The motor combination truck is giving entire satisfac-

tion, and demonstrating the wisdom of the town in purchasing this excellent piece of apparatus. During the thirteen months since it was put in commission it has been driven four hundred and thirty-five miles at a total expense for gasoline, oil, and light of $69.85. Against this should be credited the sum of $85.00 which it would cost the town for a team to answer brush fire alarms during that period under the former system, the motor truck being now used for that purpose.

The purchase by the town of a pair of horses has added materially to the efficiency of the department, as we are now sure that the ladder truck will respond promptly to alarms.

We desire to thank the members of your Honorable Board for the assistance and encouragement given us in the discharge of our duties during the year.

We also wish to thank the Police Department for the aid rendered at fires by them. To the Officers and Members of the several Companies we extend our sincere thanks for the willing and efficient manner in which they have performed their duty.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. SMITH,
JOSEPH TANSEY,
LOUIS F. BRUCE.

ARMORY

The amount received for rents during the year past has been $2413.85.

With the removal of "H" Company, 6th Regt, M. V. M., Stoneham Light Infantry, to the new state armory, the Town loses the annual rental of $900 received from the Commonwealth and we are confronted with the fact that the building will not be self-supporting without the further receipt of this amount.

At the request of the state police about $350 has been

expended to enlarge exits and increase ventilating capacity in conformity with the requirements of the law relative to public halls.

Other minor interior repairs have also been made in the hall and the building is now in fairly good condition.

BROWN TAIL MOTHS

The Town is required to raise and expend the sum of $2140.83 during the coming year.

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Mr. L. B. R. Gray was re-appointed in March as the agent of the Board for the inspection of buildings. His report follows:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the inspection of buildings for the year 1913.

Permits were issed covering work as follows:

Application for permits	38
Permits granted	37
Permits refused	1
Dwellings for one family	16
Dwellings for two families	2
Additions and alterations	6
Stables and sheds	8
Garages	2
Stores	1
Buildings moved	3
Value of new buildings,	$60,450.00

Respectfully submitted,

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,

Inspector of Buildings.

One of the most important problems that confronted the Selectmen upon the abolition of the Board of Public Works

was to secure a competent Superintendent of Public Works After considerable investigation, the Board invited Cornelius J. Sweeney to come here on trial and assume charge of the supervision of this department. Mr. Sweeney had been employed as Assistant Superintendent of Streets in Framingham for the three years preceding and was highly recommended. The choice has proved a most fortunate one. Mr. Sweeney, it has been found, was emphatically the right man for the place and a contract was made with him June 30 to act as Superintendent of Public Works for a term of three years from July 1st, 1913, his salary the first year to be $1200, for the second year $1350 and for the third year $1500.

Although handicapped by lack of available funds, Mr. Sweeney has made an exceptional showing. Whatever he has undertaken he has carried out economically and in efficient manner. Our streets especially show marked improvement. Mr. Sweeney has also proved that it is feasible for the Town to do its own water and sewer construction work instead of letting it out by contract, thus giving employment to town help and without any material increase of cost. In short, Superintendent Sweeney has been, so to speak, on his job, twenty-four hours a day if necessary and the Town is to be congratulated upon securing a man of his calibre for the position of Superintendent of Public Works. We refer to his detailed report for further information.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:—In submitting my report for the year 1913, it may be well to say a word as to the policy of the Public Works Department during the year just closed. Coming to this town as Superintendent of Public Works in May last, I first was obliged to familiarize myself with the conditions that prevailed in the highway, sewer and water departments, and to meet the urgencies of mainten-

ance and construction. Highway work was confined largely to the principal streets and in the center of the town, acting on the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number, and was limited by the available money to be expended. Now the outlying districts demand attention, as it has been possible only to make repairs of a temporary nature, in many instances, until such time as these streets can be put in first class condition. Wherever possible, it has been the policy of the Public Works Department to do work of a permanent nature, rather than to patch here and there. This policy will result, if continued, in giving the town, in the course of a few years, roads which will be a credit to the town, and bear favorable inspection when compared to the highways of other municipalities in this vicinity, and gradually accomplish this much to be desired end without increased burden on the tax-payers.

Good roads, scientifically constructed by modern methods, mean less expense in their up-keep from year to year, reduce the danger of accident suits from injuries, and are a source of civic pride. The department will endeavor to accomplish permanent improvements along this line and keep pace with modern and up-to-date ideas in road construction.

MAIN STREET CONSTRUCTION

Work of macadamizing the east side of Main street was begun in June, starting at Central Square and working toward the outskirts, as far south as the State Highway at Marble street. The contract for crushing stone was awarded to the Gibbons Contracting Co., of Melrose for 94 cents per ton at the town crusher. Very poor condition existed at the crusher plant and occasioned considerable delay. Side streets intersecting Main street from Franklin to Marble, were repaired at this junction with such suitable material as could be spared from the sub-grading. It was found necessary to raise the Main street curbing at the corner of Hancock and

Summer streets, also to install systems of sub-drainage at the corner of Main and Hancock streets and at Summer street, taking the water south some 275 feet and emptying it into the natural watercourse flowing in a westerly direction south of and parallel to Marble. The detailed expense was $1921.12; Cost per square yard $00.648.

PERKINS STREET.

Delay in starting Perkins street construction was occasioned by the necessary installation of the sewer and time had to be allowed for the settling of the trench. The roadbed was in very poor condition, having a surface of about six inches of a clayey mixture, muddy in wet weather, and very dusty at all other times. Bids were called for, but the contractors after looking the proposition over, decided that there was no profit for them, considering the money in hand, including both the appropriation made by the town and county commissioners award. Consequently, the Superintendent of Public Works was given the construction at his figures. The gravel from the sewer trenches was used for sub-grade, and shoulders and trench back-filled with waste material taken from the road. This was kept down a foot from the surface. The road was built from Franklin street, southerly, a distance of 1700 feet, 18 feet in width with six inch stone foundation and treated with 5-6 gal. 65 per cent. oil to the square yard, covered with gravel. Summary of expenditures: Total including 1912 bills, $2928.58; contract cost $2439.93; cost per square yard $0.739.

As to street sprinkling, in the opinion of the writer, the use of a light oil is most advantageous, its preservative and sanitary qualities making it more desirable than water as a dust layer. In the end it is less expensive and accomplishes much better results. Its use obviates undesirable muddy conditions, which arise when water is used at all frequently for sprinkling purposes.

To enable our citizens to know just what has been accomplished in the past year, and in what portions of the town money has been expended for highway purposes, the following detailed statements have been prepared and are herewith presented:—

Amounts expended previous to the present Superintendent assumed charge:

Payrolls	$2,037.38
Bills 1912	523.97
Bills Jan. 1 to May 1	472.92
	$3,034.27

BROADWAY SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION.

Repairs on this street were begun and partially completed previous to the time the present Superintendent assumed charge. The work was carried to completion as far as possible, but the appropriation was exhausted before putting on a top coating of suitable gravel or crushed stone, which, accordingly has not been done. The details of expenditure:

Appropriation		$500.00
Labor	$490.01	
Material	8.50	498.51
		$1.49

MAIN STREET REPAIRS.

Main street has been scarified, rolled and gravelled where necessary from Central square north to Farm Hill Station, on both sides, and southerly from the square to Marble street on the westerly side, affording a smooth surface, at inconsiderable expense. These repairs cost $157.67.

MAPLE STREET

Maple street has been shaped and crowned from Park

street westerly to the B. & M. railroad crossing at the gelatine works, thus preventing further washouts of the street surface, which had previously occurred after all rains, to the material damage of the road bed. Expenditure $140.59.

FRANKLIN STREET

Franklin street was found to be in poor shape, so bad, indeed, that only extensive repairs could have been attempted. Trenches were filled where gas, water and sewer services had been installed and the surface had settled. It has been the endeavor of the Superintendent to make Franklin street passably safe for travel. No more could be done, under the circumstances. The street needs resurfacing during the coming year, and the Superintendent would recommend an appropriation for the purpose of $62.48.

MARBLE STREET.

Marble street is in fair condition and was treated as was Franklin street, holes being filled and penetrated with tar. Some extensive repairs on drains will be necessary in the Spring. Arrangements were made with the Bay State Street Railway Company to put their tracks and roadbed in shape and to macadam between rails. Owing to the lateness of the season and to the fact that the Bay State repair gang were busy elsewhere it was thought advisable to let this repair work of the company go over until Spring. The detailed expense was $78.86.

WILLIAMS STREET.

Williams street was scarified and re-rolled and gravel put on where necessary from Pleasant street to Main street, making a fairly smooth surface, which, however, would have been much improved by the application of a coating of 65 per cent. oil. The detailed expense was $91.64.

ELM STREET.

Elm street was found to be in good repair with the exception of where installing gas, water and sewer service trenches depressed the surface. These were filled with stone and oil. Next summer Elm street should be treated with oil, as late in the Fall there were signs of breaking up. The street has had very little repairing since it was macadamized in 1910. Total expended $39.65.

COLLINCOTE STREET.

Collincote street was in very bad shape, near Elm street, the low-lying locality being responsible. In this vicinity, the street was graveled about 400 feet, making it much better for travel. The expense in detail $48.14.

BROADWAY (Repairs)

Broadway is a thoroughfare hard to keep in any kind of shape, being so steep a grade that it is almost impossible to get results with a gravel road. Its condition has been poor. The gutters were ploughed and projecting stones broken off, making it passable for the time being. Expended $49.91.

CENTRAL STREET.

Central street has been scarified, re-rolled and graveled from Common street to Elm street, taking out the ruts and affording a smooth surface. Better results would have been obtained if a coating of oil could have been given earlier in the season. Expended $51.46.

HILL STREET.

Hill street has been widened to conform to the specifications and requirements of the County Commissioners and graded to cover rocks, etc. This expense, $197.17, was borne by the County.

Minor repairs have been made on the following streets:

Wright street, Pine street, Pomeworth street, North street, Green street and several others.

MAIN STREET SIDEWALK.

A gravel walk has been built for a distance of 75 feet on the east side, fronting residence of L. D. Holden. Filling for this work was taken from Main street sub-grading. Otherwise it would have been impossible to construct the walk within the appropriation, it requiring 109 cubic yard filling and 5 cubic yards of crushed stone. Expended 49.21.

EAST STREET, SIDEWALK

The gravel walk built on East street extended easterly 500 feet from the existing walk to the Wakefield line. A large quantity of filling was found necessary the entire distance, 250 cubic yards of filling being required and 30 cubic yards top dressing. A fence 242 feet in length was also erected, and three trees removed. Cost in detail:

Appropriation		$350.00
Labor	$179.08	
Material	70.55	
		$249.63
Unexpended		$100.37

STREET CLEANING.

Street cleaning is an important factor in the highway department as there are many unpaved gutters, which unless kept clean, will fill with grass and weeds. A mud-scraper has been bought, which lessens cost of hoeing. A man has also been kept busy around the square and converging streets to clean up the litter of papers, etc. Expended $604.44.

DRAINS.

Keeping drains clear is a difficult matter, and more at-

tention must be paid. There has been no fixed system of cleaning drains, and only when they have overflowed has it been the custom to look after them. Throughout the town, the drains are in a generally bad state and deplorable results may be expected to follow in the near future unless something is done to remedy the matter. The amount expended was $81.55.

INCIDENTALS.

It will be noted that about $150 has been spent in mowing the grass along the sides of highways, picking up stones, and raking leaves, work which had to be done, although without material showing. Expended for the purpose: $130.11.

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

The Central street bridge between Collincote and Elm street was rebuilt, the old bridge being removed and a corrugated iron culvert, 28x24 inches, installed. Expended: $88.98.

The bridge at the junction of Central and Collincote streets was also replaced by a corrugated iron culvert, 28x18 inches, at an expense of $88.98. This bridge was in very bad condition and dangerous to teaming.

LINDENWOOD ROAD BRIDGE.

This bridge broke down under a heavy team, the underpinning having rotted away and the blanks badly rtted. It was wholly rebuilt at an expense of $65.88, by putting concrete where timbers were formerly buried in dirt. The cross timbers are of Georgia pine, and the flooring of spruce.

SUMMER STREET DRAIN.

This drain crosses Summer street, near Pond street, and was rebuilt at an expense of $75.21, by installing a 24-inch pipe across the street and putting in a catch basin.

CATCH BASINS.

A catch basin was installed in Montvale avenue near Lindenwood station, the work being done in conjunction with the Boston & Maine railroad, the railroad laying 230 feet of pipe through their land to Sweetwater brook. The expenditure was $25.00.

A catch basin at the corner of Franklin and Perkins streets was connected with the natural water way, effecting much improvement in the drainage of the vicinity, long a problem difficult of remedy. Expended 11.56.

All catch basins have been cleaned out several times during the year. Some, however, having no device for catching sand fill frequently, and this also occasions the stopping up of outlet pipes. Expended: $176.83.

STREET SPRINKLING.

Mention has already been made of the advisability of the use of oil. During the past year, streets were sprinkled in accordance with the vote passed by the town. It was found necessary to use water for a time at the start, until streets could be put in condition for treatment with oil. The detailed expense:

Supplies	$747.48
Labor	311.83
	$1040.31
Appropriations and Assessments	$1435.55
Balance	$388.24

CONCRETE.

The contract for concrete and concrete repairs was originally awarded the Gibbons Contracting Company of Melrose, they agreeing to put on asphalt. The concern began work, but it was unsatisfactory, and the work was or-

dered stopped. New bids were called for, and the contract given to T. A. Mulroney, as the lowest responsible bidder. Considerable repair work was done, as well as new work, in a satisfactory manner, by Mr. Mulroney. At present however, many sidewalks still need repairs, and the Superintendent would recommend an appropriation of $1000 for the purpose. The amounts expended were: New work $713.12; Repairs, $719.07.

STREET RAILINGS.

Much needed repairs have been made on street railings, especially on Franklin street and for the most part the railings repaired have also been painted at an expense of $208.11. There are several localities where railings are in very bad shape, and it would be a waste of money to attempt repairs or painting. To replace these and put others in shape, the Superintendent would recommend and appropriation of $300.

STREET SIGNS.

There have been few new signs put up the past year. There is need for additional signs, however, in various sections, to enable pedestrians and others to reach their destination without frequent inquiry. The amounts expended for signs have been taken from the general highway appropriation.

BREAKING SNOW

The comparative absence of snow has naturally reduced expenditure over other years. Streets, however, have been sanded on several occasions. The snow ploughs are in fairly good repair, but will need some overhauling in the spring.

HIGHWAYS

Appropriation,	Tax . .	$6,250.00
"	Franchise Tax,	2,066.40

Received County Commissioners,	700.00	
" Malden Gas Co.,	150.00	
" Excise Tax,	1,994.00	
" Miscellaneous,	213.77	
Due from Fire Department,	201.00	
		$11,575.17
Paid, Pay roll, January 1, to May 1,	$2,037.38	
Main street McAdam,	1,378.53	
Main street Repairs,	157.67	
Maple street,	140.59	
Franklin street,	62.48	
Marble street,	29.85	
Williams street,	91.64	
Wright street,	12.00	
Elm street,	39.65	
Pine street,	7.51	
Collincote street,	48.14	
Perkins street,	16.58	
Perkins street walk,	51.94	
Pomeworth street,	5.38	
Central street,	51.46	
Spring and East streets,	9.66	
North street,	5.00	
Hill street,	197.17	
Broadway,	49.91	
Green street,	12.00	
Burning leaves,	68.07	
Raking streets,	22.22	
Mowing,	39.82	
Cleaning catch basins,	176.83	
Catch basin, Franklin street,	11.56	
Catch basin, Montvale Ave.,	11.81	
Cleaning streets,	604.44	
Main street drainage,	214.27	
Cleaning drains,	81.55	
Resetting curb, Main street,	23.37	

Cleaning brook, Franklin street,	54.00	
Repairs to gravel walks,	18.27	
Collincote street bridge,	11.56	
Miscellaneous repairs,	955.03	
Total payrolls,		$6,677.44
Bills contracted in 1912,	$523.97	
Insurance, earned premiums, 1912,	336.90	
Insurance, 1913,	250.27	
Bills contracted, Jan. 1 to May 1,	472.92	
Bills contracted May 1, to December 31,	3,647.39	
		$5,231.45
Total		$11,908.89
Overdraft,		333.72

PERKINS STREET.

Appropriations,		$1730.34
Received from County,		837.50
		$2,567.84
Paid Bills contracted, 1912,	$230.34	
Labor	2,358.71	
Fuel,	114.75	
Smithwork,	3.00	
Supplies, including surface oil,	204.98	
Kerosene,	7.50	
Advertising,	9.30	
		$2,928.58
Overdrawn,		$360.74
Total cost,		$2928.58
Labor removing dust,	258.31	
Bills, 1912,	230.34	
		$488.65
Cost of macadam,		$3439.93

	Lineal feet of road,	1,650	
	Square yards of macadam,	3,300	
	Square yards, gravel shoulders,	1,080	
	Tons stone used,	966	
	Cubic yards sand,	55.7	
	Cubic yards gavel,	180	
	Cost per square yard,	$0.739	
	Cost per lineal foot,	1.49	

EAST STREET WALK.

	Appropriation,		$350.00
Paid	Material,	70.55	
	Labor,	179.08	
			$249.63
	Unexpended,		$100.37

BROADWAY SIDEWALK.

	Appropriation,		$500.00
	Paid Material,	8.50	
	Expended,	$490.01	
			498.51
	Unexpended,		$1.49

MAIN STREET SIDEWALK.

	Appropriation,		$50.00
	Paid Labor,	49.21	
	Unexpended,		.79

SUMMER STREET DRAIN.

	Appropriation,		$150.00
	Paid supplies,	11.50	
	Pay roll,	63.71	
			75.21
	Unexpended,		74.79

CENTRAL STREET BRIDGE.

Appropriation,		150.00
Paid Supplies,	62.70	
Pay roll,	26.28	
		88.98
Unexpended,		61.02

LINDENWOOD ROAD BRIDGE

Appropriation,	50.00	
Balance Summer and Central Street bridges ,	162.81	
		212.81
Paid supplies,	45.88	
Labor,	20.00	65.88
Unexpended,		146.93

STREET RAILINGS.

Appropriation,	$200.00	$200.00
Paid supplies,	92.80	
Labor,	115.31	208.11
Overdraft,		$8.11
		$8.11

BREAKING SNOW.

Appropriation,	$503.15	
Due from Bay State Street R. R.	26.54	
		$529.69
Paid Labor,	444.36	
Supplies,	115.60	
		559.96
Overdraft,		$39.27

OILING STREETS.

Appropriation,	$400.00	
Assessment,	988.05	
Received account Benton street,	47.50	
		$1,435.55
Paid Supplies,	747.48	
Labor,	311.83	
		1,040.31
Unexpended,		$388.24

CONCRETE REPAIRS.

Appropriations,	$780.00	$780.00
Paid Bills contracted 1912,	186.70	
Labor,	74.75	
Advertising,	5.50	
Contract,	507.82	
Fuel,	4.30	
		779.07
Unexpended,		$.93

CONCRETE WARREN AND GERRY STREETS.

Appropriation,	$67.50	
Assessment,	46.75	
		$114.25
Paid Contract,	93.89	
Labor,	2.50	
		96.39
Unexpended,		$17.86

CONCRETE SUMMER STREET.

Appropriation,	135.00	
Assessment,	84.82	
		$219.82

Paid Contract,	199.10	
Labor,	5.00	
		204.10
Unexpended,		$15.72

FRANKLIN STREET.

Appropriation,	$70.00	
Assessment,	39.86	
		$109.86
Paid Contract,	109.45	
Pay roll,	3.34	112.79
Overdrawn		$2.93

WINTHROP STREET.

ppropriation,	$19.00	
Assessment,	15.27	
		$34.27
Paid Contract,	30.53	
Labor,	1.50	
		32.03
Unexpended,		$2.24

WRIGHT STREET.

Appropriation,	$30.00	
Assessment,	21.66	
		$51.66
Paid Contract,	43.08	
Labor,	1.50	
		44.58
Unexpended		$7.08

LINCOLN STREET

Appropriation,	$25.00	
Assessment,	17.07	
		$42.07
Paid Contract,	33.88	
Labor,	2.00	
Labor,	2.00	35.88
Unexpended,		$6.19

AVON AND MYRTLE STREETS.

Appropriation,	$50.00	
Assessment,	37.88	
		87.88
Paid Contract,	95.59	95.59
Overdrawn		$7.71

KEENE STREET.

Appropriation,	$70.00	
Assessment	31.46	
		$101.46
Paid Contract,	$88.26	
Labor,	3.50	
		91.76
Unexpended,		$9.70

CONCRETE SIDEWALKS, CHAPTER 49, SECTION 43.

Total appropriations,	$466.50	
Total assessments,	294.77	
		$761.27
Total expended	713.12	713.12
Unexpended,		$48.15

ITEMIZED COST OF MAIN STREET MACADAM.

Labor and Stone,	$1378.53	
Sand,	26.00	
Coal,	16.50	
Oil,	1.80	
Tarvia,	498.29	
		$1921.12
Cost per square yard,	$0.648	

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

Perkins Street (Construction.)

The work of Perkins street sewer was let by contract to C. L. Hoffman of Melrose, he being the lowest responsible bidder. This sewer was installed from North Avenue, northerly a distance of 500 feet. Detailed Cost:

Contract,	$641.25	
Engineering and Inspection,	51.20	
Material,	104.28	
		$796.73

SERVICES.

During the past year 42 sewer connections have been made, using 420 feet of iron pipe and 1820 feet of vitrified pipe. Detailed Cost:

Labor	$857.83	
Material.	579.22	
		$1,437.05

SEWER MAINTENANCE.

The entire sewer system has been thoroughly cleaned, once early in the summer, and again late in the fall. Necessary precautions have been taken to have everything in shape for the winter. This has meant considerable work. Roots, etc., getting in and clogging the sewers in both mains and connections, where near the surface, have given rise to

numerous complaints. In the Columbus Avenue sewer, there are stretches which have settled and will cause difficulty, as it is impossible to get proper sized brushes through. This was caused by faulty construction.

The Pine street sewer is beginning to fill up between Hancock street and the dead end, and in several other places, the same difficulty exists, and is likely to cause trouble. The Main street sewer near Peabody road and the dead end is in bad shape, as the grade is so flat that water stands in the pipe, and will run off only when it fills to a certain height. Several sewer covers have been broken the past summer. The pans are also many of them worn out and in a bad way, and the Superintendent would recommend 100 pans be purchased. Although in the past year or two, the sewer system has been enlarged, the appropriation for sewer maintenance has not been increased. At least 200 more is needed for sewer maintenance, than was appropriated for 1913.

RECAPITULATION

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Bills contracted 1912,			$ 186.92

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Appropriation,		$1,900.00	
Expended Labor,	$1,208.85		
Paid Material and Supplies	168.43	1,377.28	1,377.28
Unexpended,		522.72	

PERKINS STREET SEWER

Paid Labor		51.20	
Contract,		641.25	
Material		104.28	796.73
			3,797.98

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Paid labor	857.83	
Material and Supplies,	579.22	1,437.05

WATER DEPARTMENT

CEDAR WAY (CONSTRUCTION)

The water main put in on this street was from the Spring Street main, at the junction of East Street, and a 6 inch pipe runs 511 feet northerly to a hydrant; then 4 inch pipe 144 feet to a dead end. Although at present there is but one water taker on this line, the abuttors benefited are paying by agreement 8 per cent. of the cost of construction which was $617.81.

HARRISON STREET (CONSTRUCTION)

In Harrison Street a 6 inch pipe was run from Franklin Street to the existing dead end at South Avenue, a distance of 330 feet, thus doing away with a dead end, and affording opportunity for additional connections. Expended $427.03.

STEVENS STREET (CONSTRUCTION)

In Stevens Street a 6 inch main was extended 130 feet from existing main and hydrant set at a cost of $224.38.

MAIN STREET (CONSTRUCTION)

Bids were called for on this job, and the contract awarded to A. D'Ippolito of Wrentham, Mass., for $2,204.35. Mr. D'Ippolito, however, would not give bond for the completion of the work before the cold weather set in, which was necessary, as house connections had to be made. Accordingly, Mr. D'Ippolito threw up the contract. The other bidders were: Superintendent of Public Works, $2,766.65; Light, Power and Heat Company, Boston, $2,829.50; H. Hanscom Co., $2,809.00. The work was turned over to the next lowest bidder, the Superintendent of Public Works, and done by town labor, under the Superintendent's supervis-

ion. From Montvale Avenue to Maple Street the old 10 inch cement pipe was removed and replaced by 12 inch cast iron pipe. All intersecting street branches were carried by cast iron pipe to the street line, and gates were placed at convenient points. In many places the old pipe was found to be in very poor condition. The work progressed satisfactorilly and was completed before cold weather set in at a cost of $4,292.36. Next year, a new main should be put in from Maple Street, southerly to Marble Street.

NORTH STREET (CONSTRUCTION)

Beginning at the junction of North and Forest streets, a four inch main was laid westerly 1250 feet to a point opposite Mr. Hall's residence, and a hydrant was installed 12 feet from the dead end. There are but two service takers on this line, but the town was given satisfactory guarantee as to interest payments on cost of construction. The amount refunded was $1090.75.

SPRING STREET HYDRANT

This hydrant was located near Vinton's Court at the point designated by the fire engineers. Ledge was encountered and it was difficult to blast out the excavation of the hydrant location. Cost $83.76.

HYDRANTS INSTALLED.

New hydrants were installed as follows: one on Spring street, near Vinton's Court; one on Stevens street, 700 feet southerly from Franklin street; one on North street, opposite residence of Mr. Hall; one on Cedar Way 511 feet north from Spring street. Old hydrants unfit for further service were replaced by new ones on Pond street, Perkins street, Franklin street and Main street. Fourteen other hydrants are in poor condition and have to be pumped out frequently in cold weather. The new hydrants located and installed are of the Corey Standard make. In all there are 148 now in use in town.

Cost of removing old hydrant and resetting new one—approximately $50.00.

METERS.

During the year 275 additional meters have been installed. There are now approximately 1400 in use. The Nash meter on the whole gives the most satisfaction. The department has had many calls on account of leaky fixtures in houses where bath tubs, closets and other fixtures leak. This, the Superintendent wishes to impress upon the citizens is not a matter within the province of the department. There have also been numerous complaints as to meters getting out of order or registering in error, but, in all but a few instances, it has been found that tests have shown them in proper working order. While the meter system adds expense of supervision to the department, the amount of water saved more than offsets this item, and without question meters have proved a good investment for the town. For reinstalling, reading and repairing, $793.49.

SERVICE GATE BOXES.

A number of new service gate boxes were reset, and many others have been put down to grade in various parts of the town. Expended $110.67.

GATES

No inconsiderable number of gates are in bad condition and on several occasions when there has been a break, it has been necessary to shut off the water from an entire block on account of the gates not seating. Gates were repaired on Elm street and Central street. Two gates on Marble street were found to be completely out of order and shut and had a fire occurred in that locality it would have resulted disastrously, as no water for fire purposes would have been available. The gates on Warren street and Hill street were replaced by new ones. Expended $140.67.

WATER CRANES.

There are five in all, located as follows: one, near corner of Main street and Flint avenue; one, on Central street, in Church square; one on Maple street, one on Elm street and one on Summer street. These are in good condition. They will probably not be made use of to any great extent in the future, if the streets are to be treated with oil, instead of water.

WATER SERVICES.

The department made 27 new water constructions in 1913. also relaid 24 services, laying 1959 feet of lead lined pipe and 913 feet of galvanized iron pipe. Total number of services in use December 31, 1913 is 1623. During the year, also, several services being used without record of their installation were shut off. Expended $803.47.

BREAKS.

The department has been fortunate in having comparatively few breaks this year. Breaks occurred as follows: Three on Elm street where the main is in bad shape, being badly pitted in many places (caused principally by mains being under the tracks of the Bay State St. Ry. Co.;) two on Gould street, (caused by lightning striking dwelling houses and following wires down to the main;) two on Maple street (caused by lightning) one being especially bad and resulting in a large waste of water, as it flowed into the sewer before showing on the surface, and it being further difficult to locate the leak as the water found its way into a gas trench, only coming to the surface in a spot fully 300 feet away from the break; one on Duncklee avenue, where the main is also in very bad condition; two on Franklin street, both serious and difficult to repair as the pipes in the ground had moved nearly a foot out of their proper alignment, due to ground settling; one on

Franklin street near Pearl street, the later not being a bad break.

There have also been reported a number of leaks in services and mains and at hydrant connections, all of which have been attended to. Expended on breaks $296.57.

AS TO CONVEYANCE.

The Superintendent has not had during his term any regular conveyance placed at his disposal—it appearing advisable not to incurr the additional expense. It has been necessary, however, on occasion to hire a stable team, and this has not always been available when needed for use. The result of the whole has been rather unsatisfactory. Team 93 days, $187.50.

RECAPITULATION

WATER DEPARTMENT

Bills paid, contracted 1912,		$4,366.96
Paid on Debt,		6,000.00
Interest,		3,752.10
Taxes to State,		10,213.41

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

Paid Labor,	$3,931.16	
Feed for Horses,	331.68	
Supplies,	1,811.73	
Register,	200.00	6,274.57

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

Paid Pay Roll,	663.07	
Supplies,	140.40	803.47

WATER MATERIAL

Paid Supplies,	3,561.71	3,561.71

SPRING STREET HYDRANT

Paid Labor,	19.94	
Material and Supplies,	63.82	83.76

NORTH STREET WATER

Paid Labor,	635.80	
Material and Supplies,	454.95	1,090.75

MAIN STREET WATER

Paid Labor,	1,882.01	
Material and Supplies,	2,410.35	4,292.36

HARRISON STREET WATER

Paid Labor,	269.08	
Material and Supplies,	157.95	427.03

STEVENS STREET WATER

Paid Labor,	140.79	
Material and Supplies,	83.59	224.38

CEDARWAY WATER

Paid Labor,	275.46	
Material and Supplies,	342.35	617.81

41,708.31

EQUIPMENT—HORSES.

The Public Works Department now has three horses. The pair purchased during the summer by the committee appointed by the town have made an excellent showing and are a good investment They have lost but three days since their purchase. Besides highway work they haul the Hook and Ladder truck to fires for which service the Fire Department pays $360 annually. The third horse works wholly on water maintenance and has proved his worth. Previous to purchasing the pair, arrangements were made with the Stoneham Tanning Co. for the use of their pair of horses for highway work and hauling the Hook and Ladder truck at an expense of $3.00 a day without driver. After the town's pair arrived, the department had the use of the Stoneham Tanning Co. horses for their keep.

SUMMARY.

Total days worked	(double teams)	637
Total days worked	(single teams)	90

PORTABLE BOILER

This boiler is in poor shape, several tubes leaking. If needed, it will be probably necessary to retube same.

STEAM ROLLER

The steam roller worked well for the most part. A few minor parts were broken and renewed, to finish up the season. The roller at present needs a thorough overhauling before starting on another season's work.

STONE CRUSHER

This machine is in deplorable condition. This year it was necessary to expend $400 on it in repairs, and only about 3,000 tons of stone was crushed. Before it can do more work, other extensive repairs would have to be made. In short, the crusher is worn out, and it is practically throwing money away to attempt to put in new parts. The Superintendent would recommend trading the crusher in part payment for a new machine, which would crush twice as much stone, at the same operating cost and make a corresponding saving on labor. Stone is the only material that can be used in constructing roads suitable for the vicinity. Suitable gravel is not obtainable.

At the crusher plant, a portion of the bins used for storing stone is on private land, and notice has been served by the owner to remove them. This will necessitate moving back about ten feet, if the present stone crusher lot is to be used further. An objection to its further use is that the location is dangerously near several dwelling houses, and the precautions that have to be taken to avoid stones flying from blasts, materially add to the expense of operation. The Superintendent therefore would recommend the removal of the plant to some other place, preferably the old Pond Street site, where the stone could be quarried at less expense and with less danger of damage to surrounding property.

WATERING CARTS

Both watering carts are badly in need of repair. Cart No. 1 did three months sprinkling the past year. It needs at present new tires, and new staves in tank, together with a general overhauling. Cart No. 2 was wholly unfit for use. the tank being rotten and knocked to pieces, and the gear taken off and stored in the basement of the Armory. The Superintendent would recommend that it be fitted with a new steel tank and appliances, so that it could be utilized in spreading oil. The gear is in good condition.

WAGONS.

We have three express wagons all in good condition, also one pung in good shape.

HARNESSES.

We have two sets single harnesses in good condition, and one set of new double harnesses.

DUMP CART.

A new dump cart was purchased during the summer of J. B. McLean of North Reading and is in first class condition.

In conclusion,, the Superintendent avails himself of the opportunity to express appreciation of the manner in which your Honorable Board has co-operated with his department in every way possible; also to thank the Fire Department for use of hose and other courtesies extended, and and the Police for their assistance in reporting defects in highways and dangerous conditions prevailing. The Superintendent also feels that the men under him in the several departments have done creditable work, and it has been his experience that the best of labor is available in town to carry out the necessary details of construction operations and in a manner advantageously to the town.

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. SWEENEY

TOOLS ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1914.

45	Block tin pipe,	$12,00
2	Spirit levels,	1.50
1	Edison pump diaphragm,	2.50
1	Hand saw,	.85
1	Trisquare,	.85
1	Street brush,	.50
1	-- 6 inch joint runner,	5.50
2	Smith & Anthony tapping machines,	10.00
1	Extension pipe cutter, 4 - 16 inches,	10.00
1	- 3 foot step ladder,	1.00
2	Hose spanners,	.50
2	Batteries and wires,	25.00
1	Mueller tapping machine,	100.00
1	Farrell crusher,	300.00
1	Buffalo-Pitts steam roller,	2000.00
1	-- horse roller,	50.00
1	Sidewalk roller,	10.00
1	Champion road machine,	100.00
2	Road plows,	30.00
1	Harrow,	10.00
1	Road machine (junk)	5.00
1	Sprinkling cart (poor condition)	75.00
1	Sprinkling cart gear, (good)	50.00
1	2-horse dump cart,	200.00
1	Jigger,	25.00
1	Heavy express wagon,	75.00
2	Light Express wagons,	225.00
1	Express pung,	65.00
3	Street blankets,	15.00
3	Stable blankets,	7.75
3	Canvas blankets,	6.75
1	Set double harnesses,	75.00
2	Sets single harnesses,	50.00
	Stable tools,	4.50

1	Pair horses,	725.00
1	Single horse,	125.00
1	Street Sweeper,	225.00
1	Set calking tools,	15.00
1	Boom derrick,	40.00
2	4-leg pipe derricks,	100.00
1	3-leg pipe derrick,	15.00
1	Portable boiler,	50.00
1	Steam drill, (fair condition)	115.00
1	Boiler and engine, (crusher)	200.00
100	Drill steel,	8.00
1	2-wheel water carrier,	5.00
5	Large tool boxes,	60.00
60	Feet cable chain,	20.00
1	3-hook chain,	3.00
3	Gravel screens,	15.00
3	Road horses and danger signs,	3.00
1	Gutter plow,	60.00
13	Snow plows,	520.00
1	Sheathing puller with attachments,	10.00
100	Feet 5-8 cable,	10.00
1	Large piece canvas,	5.00
1	Set blacksmith tools,	10.00
5	Small hand drills,	1.50
2	Trowels,	.80
1	Hand float,	.40
1	Paving hammer,	.75
1	Paving rammer,	2.50
2	Sledge hammers,	2.00
1	Large lead furnace,	30.00
1	Small lead furnace,	10.00
1	Gasolene lead furnace,	25.00
1	Forge,	20.00
2	Sets sewer cleaning rods,	100.00
600	Feet sewer cleaning rope,	6.00

2	Sewer derricks,	20.00
2	Sets safety falls and rope,	10.00
2	Sewer wheel barrows,	5.00
1	Set sewer brushes,	10.00
2	Striking hammers,	1.50
2	Grub hoes,	1.50
3	Post hole scoops,	1.50
2	Tunnel bars,	2.00
1	Set falls,	15.00
200	Feet new rope,	7.00
1	Post hole bar,	1.75
8	Sheathing mauls,	8.00
3	Sheathing mallets,	3.00
4	Blocks,	4.00
51	Jumbo drills,	12.00
1	Set chain falls,	10.00
1	3 Ft. Stillson wrench,	2.50
1	Long handled shovel,	.85
5	Round pointed shovels,	3.00
35	Old Shovels, (worthless)	
6	Square shovels,	5.00
1	Stone fork,	1.25
2	Axes,	1.00
6	Waste paper barrels,	6.00
14	Street hoes,	4.80
10	Concrete rakes,	6.00
1	Wagon jack,	1.50
50	Feet rubber hose,	3.00
2	Crowbars,	1.50
2	12 inch joint runners,	6.00
1	Meter testing outfit,	100.00
1	Thawing outfit,	10.00
1	Hydrant pump,	3.00
1	4-6 Inch pipe cutter,	5.00
1	¾-2 Inch pipe cutter,	2.50
1	12 Inch expansion plug,	15.00

6	Stillson wrenches,	5.00
2	Sets dies,	15.00
	Surveying instruments,	365.00
2	Safes,	150.00
1	Desk,	15.00
4	Filing cabinets,	63.00
1	Plan rack,	18.00
1	Instrument locker,	5.00
	Tables and chairs,	15.00
	Stationery,	25.00
	Books of service locations,	
	Books of gate locations	
	Sewer record plans and tracings,	
1	Steele wheelbarrow,	2.50
1	Ames pick up cart,	3.00
1	Two wheel pick up cart,	2.00
23	Lanterns,	11.50
100	Lantern globes,	10.00
4	Gasoline torches,	6.00
1	Gasoline tank,	5.00
1	Kerosene tank,	5.00
1	3 Inch diaphram pump,	15.00
15	Feet suction hose,	22.00
38	Picks,	14.00
2	Wagon lanterns,	1.50
3	Pairs rubber boots,	15.00
13	Snow shovels,	7.00
2	Barn forks,	1.50
1	Set scales,	5.00
1	Roller house,	200.00
1	Shed on land, L. A. Walker,	200.00
1	Hydrant pump,	3.00
2	SWW Stamps,	3.50
1	Stove,	5.00

3	Cold chisels, ...	.75
		$7,586.55

WATER MATERIAL

1	Ton 4 inch water pipe, . . .	26.00
4	Tons 6 inch water pipe, . . .	88.00
8	Tons 8 inch water pipe, . . .	192.00
4	Tons 10 inch water pipe, . . .	88.00
3	½ tons 12 inch water pipe, . . .	77.00
6	Tons fittings, ...	330.00
1	10 Inch gate, ...	22.00
1	12 Inch gate, ...	30.00
3	6 Inch gates, ...	24.00
2	4 Inch gates, ...	9.00
	Lot fittings, ...	401.95
		$1287.95

SEWER MATERIAL

60	Feet 10 inch pipe, ...	
136	Feet 15 inch pipe, ...	
300	Feet 5 inch pipe, ...	
20	6x5 Ys, ...	
40	6x6 Tees, ...	340.00
	Miscellaneous lot old sewer pipe. . .	

PUBLIC SCALES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:—The weigher in charge of the Town Scales submits his report as follows:

Paying loads weighed during year, ...	1321
Non-paying loads weighed during year, ...	10
Total	1331

Receipts 1321 loads at 10 cents, ... $132.00
Expenditure, weigher's fee, 75 per cent. 99.07

Balance paid to Town Treasurer, ... $33.03

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. HAYWARD,
Town Weigher.

The Board has not been called upon to perambulate any town boundaries during the past year nor has there been occasion for us to act in the capacity of fence viewers.

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Board of Selectmen.

Report of the

Board of Auditors

School Department

Appropriation	$37,783.72
Received from Rent of Hall	37.50
Received from Sale of Supplies	12.00
	$37,833.22
Expended	37,903.83
Overdrawn	$70.61

Detail of Expenditure

N. E. T. & T. Co.	$30.20
Malden & Melrose Gas Co., Lighting	12.81
Edison Elec. Ill. Co., Lighting	45.60
American Express Co., Freight	5.82
Car Fares	200.00
Chapman's Band	10.00
City of Melrose, Tuition	1,405.50
Town of Wakefield	193.06
Jaquith & Downs, Stock and Labor	185.02
M. H. O'Brien, " "	12.62
J. H. Reynolds, " "	104.10
G. W. Blanchard Co., Supplies	58.50
Bell Hardware Co., "	54.23
Joseph Butler, Fuel	1,679.76
W. W. Fisk Co., "	1,131.46
R. K. Brown, Labor	32.00
Walter Gorham, Secretary	135.62
C. H. Severance, Labor	2.25

W. N. Gray,	Stock and Labor	$50.25
H. T. Mellett,	" "	.85
T. Patchett,	" "	1.00
H. E. Bellows,	" "	21.00
L. S. Harding,	Truant Officer	64.00
P. J. Birmingham,	Insurance	55.00
Water Department,	Water	356.64
C. W. Houghton,	Stock and Labor	99.11
A. J. Smith,	" "	105.21
John B. Swan,	" "	3.96
Charles Baldwin,	" "	21.95
L. Hoyt,	" "	25.00
C. A. Libby,	" "	47.71
C. E. Patch,	Supplies	1.35
W. F. Wheeler,	Labor	5.50
F. G. Wiley,	"	102.00
B. M. Jones,	"	1.00
Ruth De Mings	"	2.00
H. W. Collier,	"	2.50
C. Cole		16.00
C. E. Miller		4.00
Eagle Oil Supply Co.,	Supplies	10.00
W. C. Whitcher,	"	14.61
Phonographic Inst. Co.,	"	4.24
J. J. McVey,	"	15.52
C. C. Burchard & Co.	"	57.54
G. C. Merriam Co.,	"	10.00
Lothrop, Lee & Shepard,	"	.83
Allyn & Bacon,	"	45.78
B. H. Sanborn & Co.,	"	8.49
Little, Brown & Co.,	"	13.41
D. Appleton & Co.,	"	16.66
Kenney, Bros. & Walcott,	"	48.20
Remington Typewtr. Co.	"	17.05
Wellesley Pneu. Floor Oil	"	52.50
Eagle Pencil Co.,	"	50.00

L. E. Knott App. Co.,	supplies	$85.99
M. Furst,	"	15.00
Shepard Clark Co.,	"	38.75
Haskell, Adams Co.,	"	17.55
Chandler & Barber,	"	35.34
Stone & Forsyth,	"	13.05
J. L. Hammett Co.,	"	60.28
G. R. Barnstead,	"	69.50
Adams Co.,	"	2.59
F. Kelly	"	2.25
Angell Co.	"	16.00
Pettingell, Andrews Co.,	"	.75
E. L. Patch Co.,	"	11.21
Holden Patent Book Co.,	"	18.68
Palmer & Parker Co.,	"	189.75
A. L. Messer,	"	1.87
A. B. Webber,	"	47.43
F. D. Beatty & Co.,	"	13.20
Clapp, Eastman & Co.,	"	9.13
Wm. J. Murdock,	"	6.30
E. F. McPherson,	"	1.60
F. W. Martin Co.,	"	28.00
J. D. Brown,	"	20.00
Shepard & Norwell Co.,	"	11.75
Jordan, Marsh Co.,	"	2.50
Adams, Cushing & Foster	"	2.75
Gregg Pub. Co.,	"	21.57
Edison Pub. Co.,	"	46.14
Chas. Scribner Sons,	"	43.20
Simplex Ink Co.,	"	2.70
Atkinson, Mentzer Co.,	"	6.92
Chas. E. Coffin,	"	25.50
Bumpus & Cook,	"	1.24
C. W. H. Kelly,	"	1.75
Brown, Durrell Co.,	"	8.63
Underwood Typewrt. Co.	"	202.00

F. J. Barnard & Co., supplies	$59.00
Heco Envel. & Paper Co. "	51.25
Portor Bros. & Co., "	11.25
D. H. Knowlton & Co., "	4.00
Gen. Elec. Co., "	4.00
Dennison Mfg. Co., "	.75
C. E. Lauriat Co., "	.84
Library Bureau, "	8.30
J. T. McKeen, "	1.35
Silver, Burdett Co., Books and Sup.	29.46
D. C. Heath & Co., " "	157.83
A. N. Palmer & Co., " "	68.50
Ginn & Co., " "	249.50
Houghton Mifflin Co., " "	70.15
E. E. Babb & Co., " "	651.41
D. C. McIntosh, " "	35.27
McMillan Co., " "	1.25
N. A. Wilde & Co., " "	2.50
Milton Bradley Co. " "	140.33
Funk & Wagnals, Books	39.75
Am. Book Co., "	113.92
H. F. Miller Piano Co., Rent	12.00
O. Ditson, Music	10.64
A. B. Webber, Supt	1,320.00
C. J. Emerson, High School	1,880.00
J. B. Alley	940.00
E. McPherson	700.00
F. L. Sherman	700.00
G. B. Moody	420.00
J. Leach	697.50
H. I. Stevens	230.00
E. F. Hutchinson	280.00
L. Bessey, Grade IX	700.00
E. Garland, "	685.00
J. A. Whipple, Grade VIII	480.00
E. J. Whittemore, "	340.00

E. F. Hard, Grade VIII	$600.00
R. Hale, High School	340.00
A. V. Peyton, Grade VII	600.00
E. Dike, "	600.00
L. M. Dickinson, "	600.00
F. A. Davis, Grade VI	600.00
K. A. Devlin, "	600.00
E. W. Crowell, "	600,00
A. H. Smith, Grade V	575.00
L. B. Sweetser, Grade IV	575.00
L. L. Stevens, Grade III	585.00
A. M. Walsh, Grade II	575.00
K. E. Desmond, Grade I	575.00
H. B. Collins	230.00
C. E. Green, Grades V, VI	360.00
L. A. Walsh, Grade II	575.00
M. E. Brown, Grades III, IV	575.00
H. A. Hedberg, Grade I	520.00
L. Maxwell	160.00
F. M. Graham, Grades V, VI	600.00
P. Hinchcliffe, Grades III, IV	510.00
N. Healey, Grade II	575.00
I. L. Kilton, Grade I	345.00
G. Huntoon	240.00
H. I. P. Upton, Grades V, VI	360.00
L. M. Sanford, Grades III, IV	115.00
H. L. Briggs, Grade II	575.00
B. F. Dodge, Grade I	345.00
H. Devlin	360.00
N. A. Storey	57.50
M. P. Counce, Music	500.00
E. F. Cross, Drawing	500.00
E. J. Connelly, Drill	100.00
M. F. Pratt, Sewing	135.00
W. F. Brackett, Man. Training	585.00
M. Shephard	120.00

E. Sandell	$165.00	
W. Briggs	172.50	
R. K. Brown, Janitor High	775.00	
G. J. Child, " Centre	850.00	
H. O. Child, " South	325.00	
C. Poor, " East	325.00	
H. W. Collier, " North	325.00	
M. Reusch	272.00	
		$37,903.83

School Physician

Appropriated	$150.00
Expended	150.00

Detail of Expenditure

F. E. Park, M. D.	$150.00

High School Toilets

Appropriation	$600.00
Expended	575.00
Unexpended	$25.00

Detail of Expenditure

J. H. Reynolds	$575.00

Repairs on High School Building

Appropriation	$400.00
Expended	400.00

Detail of Expenditure

A. J. Smith	$400.00

Painting South School

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	176.75
Unexpended	$23.25

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. M. Webber	$176.75

Night School

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	236.38
Unexpended	$263.62

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Silver, Burdett & Co.,	$4.00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.08	
D. C. Heath	2.50	
Edison Elec. Ill. Co.	25.80	
J. B. Alley	60.00	
E. J. Whittemore	40.00	
Mrs. Barnes	40.00	
Mrs. Viasto	40.00	
R. K. Brown	23.00	
		$236.38

Dean School Floors

Appropriation	$575.00
Expended	575.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Chas. A. Libby	$575.00

Dean School Ceilings

Appropriation	$225.00
Expended	$225.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Chas. A. Libby	$172.57	
Penn. Metal Co.	52.43	
		$225.00

Poor Department

Inventory Jan. 1, 1914	$5,618.73	
Appropriation	5,500.00	
Received from state, cities and towns	474.07	
" " farm	4,402.24	
Due from state, cities and towns	171.40	
		$16,166.44
Inventory Jan. 1, 1913	$5,506.28	
Due from state, cities and towns	296.43	
Expended	10,699.21	
		$16,501.92

INVENTORY	JAN. 1. '13	JAN. 1, '14
Stock	$2,234.05	$2,175.25
Hay and grain	454.25	575.40
Vegetables and fruit	64.25	107.65
Wood and coal	323.75	298.20
Manure	279.80	277.00
Provisions	117.21	154.37
Tools and wagons	893.66	858.45
Furniture and Furnishings	1,139.10	1,123.35
Cash	.21	49.06
	$5,506.28	$5,618.73

Detail of Expenditure

J. H. White,	Supt.	$720.00
" "	Supplies	170.33
" "	Cows	920.50
Wm Barnes,	labor	72.00
James Morrisey,	"	130.00
Eva Carter,	"	12.00
Delia Bradley	"	63.00
Benj. Allen	"	20.00
T. Parris	"	42.00
Mrs. B. C. Bolton	"	185.00
C. F. Butler,	"	9.00
A. Mirfield,	Supplies	28.00
J. Peter,	"	2.50
L. P. Cochran,	"	20.25
Edison Elec. Ill. Co.	"	44.28
N. E. T. & T. Co.,	"	22.35
Curley Bros.	"	1,054.69
W. C. Whitcher,	"	461.17
McKenna Bros.,	"	109.42
C. E. Coffin,	"	7.50
R. L. Bowser Co.,	"	4.25
Adams Co.,	"	9.75
S. K. Ames,	"	44.85
Hatch & Hanks,	"	4.50
G. W. Blanchard,	"	79.98
Water Dept.	"	48.95
Bell Hdw. Co.,	"	55.59
Jaquith & Downs,	"	14.46
A. J. LeDuc,	"	12.93
E. C. Alward,	"	3.35
J. A. McDonough,	"	96.67
Frank Ross,	"	55.44
Geo. E. Perry,	"	41.80
W. C. Pulsifer,	"	50.16
Hayward & Fox,	"	9.10

J. Breck & Sons,	Supplies	$10.50
F. M. Low,	"	80.00
G. W. Killorin,	"	51.34
G. H. Allen,	"	7.50
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	"	177.78
S. A. Hill,	"	16.50
Deferrari Bros.,	"	12.25
H. W. Woodhead,	"	3.13
Collins Hdw. Co.,	"	24.98
C. H. Doyle,	"	46.75
Jos. Butler,	"	65.15
Jaquith & Co.,	"	408.53
Milley Soap Co.,	"	12.50
Bowman & Co.,	"	47.25
M. H. McKenna,	"	153.45
C. F. Howes,	"	10.00
R. F. Bridges,	"	9.00
E. L. Patch Co.,	"	4.08
F. G. Wiley,	"	20.00
Daniels & Price,	"	4.50
E. E. Gray,	"	4.25
J. Meaghan,	"	25.00
Thos. Perkins,	"	11.47
J. W. Lander,	"	35.00
A. S. Hovey,	"	61.73
Hacking Bros.,	"	4.25
J. H. Duncklee,	"	12.25
Mrs. Bryant, rent of pasture		10.00
Aid to persons outside of Almshouse		3,742.96
Aid to persons belonging other places		274.35
Morrill, Atwood Ice Co.,	supplies	81.26
Knox & Morse Co.,	"	5.25
Standard Chemical Co.,	"	19.75
A. W. Hastings & Co.,	"	5.40
Wakefield Chemical Co.,	"	5.00
Broad Gauge Iron Works,	"	2.60

T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor	$29.70	
G. W. Nickerson, Town Physician	150.00	
C. Playdon, D. V. S.	10.00	
B. & M. R. R., freight	1.80	
J. H. Reynolds, stock and labor	371.73	
O. Gilmore & Co., insurance	37.50	
W. F. Wheeler, labor	7.00	
		$10,699.21

State Aid

Expended	$3,922.00
Amount received from state	4,388.00

Military Aid

Appropriation	$100.00
Received from state	136.00
	$236.00
Expended	192.00
Unexpended	$44.00

Soldiers' Relief

Appropriation	$2,500.00
Received from cities and towns	260.00
	$2,760.00
Expended	3,073.62
Overdrawn	$313.62

Appropriation	$5,575.00
Expended	5,274.32
Unexpended	$300.68

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. P. Gray, treasurer	$500.00
George N. Green, clerk	1,000.00
" " Agt. Bd. of health	50.00
" " registrar	50.00
W. H. White, selectman	100.00
A. S. Parker, "	100.00
L. B. R. Gray, "	100.00
A. P. Rhoades, assessor	333.33
G. W. Newhall, "	333.33
John Best, "	333.33
W. C. Bancroft, overseer of poor	166.67
S. A. Lawrence, " "	116.00
J. G. Beede, " "	116.66
G. A. Hinchcliffe, board of health	75.00
M. D. Sheehan, " "	50.00
John Boyle, " "	50.00
A. J. Burnett, inspector of plumbing	300.00
A. F. Willey, janitor	300.00
C. A. Owen, moderator	25.00
S. A. Lawrence, collector, 1907	50.00
" " 1909	25.00
" " 1910	25.00
" " 1911	100.00
" " 1912	450.00
H. H. Richardson, registrar	25.00
Wm. Garside, "	25.00
F. E. Kerns, "	25.00
G. B. Williams, sealer of W. and M.	200.00

C. F. Munger, auditor	$150.00	
F. H. Chase, "	150.00	
G. H. Allen, milk inspector	100.00	
		$5,274.32

Fire Department

Appropriation	$5,500.00
Expended	5,480.90
Unexpended	$19.10

Detail of Expenditure

Edison Elec. Ill. Co., light	$59.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	31.81
M. & M. Gas Co., gas	50.41
C. A. Owen, hauling hook and ladder	170.00
C. M. Boyce & Son, hauling hose	183.50
C. H. Severance, hauling hose	74.50
J. Fedigan, labor	37.31
G. E. Martin, "	1.10
C. E. Cloutman, "	1.00
F. H. Peterson, "	53.75
S. E. Barnstead, "	148.87
J. P. Ryan, "	130.86
W. A. Brooks "	15.00
F. L. Newhall, "	2.00
R. W. LeBaron, stock and labor	187.96
Jaquith &. Downs, " "	6.73
L. Hoyt, " "	15.07
E. H. Chapin, " "	49.38
C. R. Farrin, " "	1.25
T. R. McNelly, " "	2.25
J. T. McKeen, " "	7.75
American Ex. Co., express	14.02
Water Department	22.00

Haskell Adams Co.,	supplies	$10.08	
Boston Coupling Co.,	"	49.95	
Pettingill Andrews Co.,	"	74.15	
Standard Oil Co.,	"	54.31	
Jos. Butler,	"	132.54	
E. L. Patch Co.,	"	4.62	
Grant Nail & Supply Co.,	"	39.15	
Bell Hdw. Co.,	"	25.80	
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	"	8.23	
H. I. Dallman,	"	3.00	
M. H. McKenna,	"	35.63	
Wright & Potter Prtg. Co.,	"	1.40	
H. T. Mellett,	"	4.00	
Texas Co.,	"	31.00	
Puritan Iron Works,	"	31.75	
Fleming's Laundry,	"	8.70	
Gamewell F. A. Tel. Co.,	"	29.30	
J. S. Lewis,	"	3.00	
E. Caldwell,	"	10.00	
Merrimac Chemical Co.,	"	2.97	
W. O. Harding,	"	.50	
Seagrave Co.,	"	103.60	
B. & M. R. R., freight		.74	
H. & L. Ex. Co., express		12.00	
H. &. L. Ex. Co., hauling hose		250.00	
			$2,213.77

FIRE DEPARTMENT PAY ROLL

Wm. A. Brooks,	Combination A	$50.00
L. M. Willett,	"	50.00
John E. Finnegan,	"	55.00
John Gray,	"	28.14
Wm. Plummer,	"	50.00
H. E. Plummer,	"	50.00
Harry Potter,	"	50.00
Frank Flowers,	"	50.00

George Potter,	Combination-A .	$25.00	
Frank McDonnell,	" .	50.00	
James Lilley,	" .	50.00	
D. W. Poor,	" .	20.83	
Leonard Thomas,	" .	20.83	
			$549.80
Howard Smith,	Hose 2 . .	$50.00	
John Fedigan,	" . .	50.00	
John Fedigan,	" steward .	40.00	
Henry Mercer,	" . .	50.00	
John Flynn,	" . .	50.00	
Edward Perry,	" . .	50.00	
George Perry,	" . .	50.00	
Harley Dushane,	" . .	52.50	
James Lamb,	" . .	33.33	
Fred Peterson,	" . .	50.00	
A. N. Newhall,	" . .	52.50	
			$528.33
Joseph Tansey,	Hose 3 . .	$25.00	
Fred Newhall,	" . .	50.00	
Fred Newhall,	" steward .	40.00	
James Duncklee,	" . .	33.33	
John Sullivan,	" . .	50.00	
Ernest Sweet,	" . .	33.33	
John Carr,	" . .	25.00	
John Wall,	" . .	4.17	
U. S. G. Clark,	" . .	45.83	
Chas. A. Sweet,	" . .	55.00	
Ralph Christie,	" . .	16.67	
John Litchfield,	" . .	16.67	
			$395.00
S. E. Barnstead,	H. & L. . .	$50.00	
J. F. Foshey,	" " . .	50.00	
F. E. Parks,	" " . .	55.00	
C. E. Cloutman,	" " . .	50.00	

C. E. Cloutman,	H. & L. steward	40.00	
E. S. Frazier,	" "	50.00	
W. Gorham,	" "	50.00	
H. H. Burgess,	" "	50.00	
M. D. Whitcher,	" "	50.00	
F. L. Wilkins,	" "	50.00	
C. W. Evans,	" "	50.00	
R. R. Ervin,	" "	50.00	
R. W. Mahn,	" "	25.00	
			$620.00
L. F. Bruce,	chief	$115.00	
" "	fire warden	10.00	
" "	labor on fire alarm	54.00	
			$179.00
A. J. Smith,	engineer	$75.00	
" "	fire warden	10.00	
" "	labor on fire alarm	11.00	
			$96.00
C. E. Cloutman,	assistant engineer	$37.50	
" "	fire warden	5.00	
" "	labor on fire alarm	6.00	
" "	supplies	3.00	
			$51.50
Jos. Tansey,	engineer	$37.50	
" "	fire warden	5.00	
" "	labor on fire alarm	3.00	
" "	supplies	2.00	
			$47.50
S. Crouch			$800.00
			$5,480.90

Hose

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	500.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Boston Coupling Co.,	hose	$500.00

Repairing and Painting Engine House

Appropriation	$400.00
Expended	394.65
Unexpended	$5.35

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

A. J. Smith, stock and labor	$125.33	
L. Hoyt " "	269.32	
		$394.65

Universal Fire Alarm Box

Appropriation	$255.00
Expended	255.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Gamewell Fire Alarm & Tel. Co.	$255.00

Underground Wires

Appropriation	$525.00
Expended	525.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

R. W. LeBaron, stock and labor	$525.00

Motor Truck

Appropriation	$5,900.00
Expended	5,775.00
Unexpended	$125.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

The Seagrave Co., truck	$5,775.00

Police Department

Appropriation	$4,400.00
Expended	4,644.53
Overdrawn	$244.53

Detail of Expenditure

S. H. Green, captain	$1,111.25
" " expenses	85.36
" " lock-up keeper	20.00
J. C. C. Small, patrolman	1,055.25
" " supplies	5.98
J. J. Scalley, patrolman	1,055.25
" " expenses	2.30
J. G. O'Brien, patrolman	1,055.25
" " expenses	.50
T. Roach, special	33.25
C. H. Severance, "	2.00
W. A. Bent, "	2.25
A. A. Junkins, "	2.25
T. P. Hurld, "	2.25
G. B. Williams, "	2.50
D. W. Gerry, "	2.50
L. F. Payson, "	2.00
J. L. White, "	2.25
C. F. March, "	2.25
F. H. Powers, "	2.25
D. E. Sweet, "	2.50
L. P. Cochran, "	2.50
F. A. Wood, "	2.00
D. L. McKinnon, "	2.25
G. M. Jefts, "	2.00
W. J. Corcoran, "	2.50
Michael Flynn, "	2.00
J. F. Palmborg, "	5.25

C. M. Boyce & Son, team	$5.00	
F. E. Park, services	1.50	
R. A. Whittaker, supplies	8.52	
Hobbs & Warren, "	16.30	
Bell Hdw. Co., "	1.05	
H. L. Emerson, "	6.25	
P. A. Valentine, photos	3.80	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	83.77	
G. R. Barnstead, printing	20.75	
Jaquith & Downs, stock and labor	12.70	
H. A. Meek, " "	7.00	
J. H. Kerrigan, services	10.00	
		$4,644.53

Armory

Received from rent	$2,413.85
Expended	2,362.08
Unexpended	$51.77

Detail of Expenditure

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	$46.54
Edison Elec. Ill. Co., light	444.12
Malden & Melrose Gas Co., gas	7.94
S. E. Barnstead, janitor	738.45
" " supplies	6.25
" " labor	10.90
W. I. Thompson, stock and labor	30.89
Jaquith & Downs, " "	14.85
J. W. Johns Manville Co. " "	49.75
Chas. Ferguson, " "	5.00
J. McKenna, " "	24.35
L. L. Gove, " "	276.06
I. L. Corthell, " "	33.88
C. W. Houghton, " "	50.68

Bay State Rifle Asso.,	supplies	$282.29	
Bell Hdw. Co.,	"	11.11	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	"	21.00	
Wadsworth Howland Co.,	"	7.50	
Baldwin Richardson Mfg. Co.,	"	5.00	
E. R. Norton, coal		194.23	
B. & M. R. R., freight		33.50	
Water Department, water		37.03	
G. R. Barnstead, printing		.60	
S. A. Brown, wood		16.00	
Pay Roll		14.16	
			$2,362.08

Playground

Appropriation	$104.55
Receipts, Insurance premium returned	12.84
	$117.39
Expended	101.55
Unexpended	$15.84

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

A. Bariffaldi, labor	$101.55	

Rent

Appropriation	$720.00
Expended	720.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Chas. Buck, rent of town offices	$720.00	

Garbage and Ashes

Appropriation	$1,841.01
Expended	1,348.19
Unexpended	$492.82

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

John Doherty, collector of ashes	$1,041.59	
W. S. Collins, collector of garbage	286.60	
G. R. Barnstead, printing	15.00	
Ernest Hinchcliffe, labor	2.50	
Thomas Lannon, "	2.50	
		$1,348.19

Board of Health

Appropriation	$400.00
Expended	201.31
Unexpended	$198.69

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. R. Barnstead, printing	$23.50
H. L. Emerson, supplies	21.45
Wm. Smith, "	.50
C. M. Boyce, "	2.00
P. Kelley, "	4.50
J. Apalachas, "	30.00
T. Doherty, "	2.00
John Boyle, "	18.00
Wm. Sheridan, "	.50
E. L. Patch Co., "	1.85
Stone & Forsyth, "	8.70
E. Caldwell, "	3.00
Jaquith & Downs, "	.25
Victor Typewriter Co., "	57.50

J. B. Hardy, quarantine	$15.00	
Highway Department	5.06	
G. A. Hinchcliffe, postage, etc.	7.50	
		$201.31

Sewer Connections Ordered by Board of Health

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	32.56
Unexpended	$167.44

Detail of Expenditure

D. H. Adzigian	$32.56

Public Library

Appropriation	$1,759.58
Fines and sale of catalogues	139.08
Dog tax from County Treasurer	557.58
Dog tax fees from Town Clerk	54.20
Interest from Dike fund	47.57
	$2,558.01
Expended	2,409.52
Unexpended	$148.49

Detail of Expenditure

Edison Elec. Ill. Co., light		$174.16
Julia L. Crocker, librarian		600.00
S. A. Lynde, associate librarian		300.00
Julia L. Crocker,	supplies	58.45
J. C. Barrett,	"	5.63
Library Bureau	"	3.45
Goodspeed	"	1.25
Boston Bookstore,	"	3.00

DeWolfe Fiske Co.,	supplies	$276.00	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	4.98	
J. D. Brown,	"	20.00	
Puritan Linotype Co.,	"	13.50	
C. H. Severance,	"	7.50	
Amer. Lib. Asso.,	"	2.50	
Joseph Butler,	"	109.00	
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	"	97.50	
C. W. Facey,	"	13.95	
Brown Hollard Co.,	"	36.89	
H. M. Meek Co.,	"	3.50	
American Writing Mch. Co.,	"	2.50	
W. C. Whitcher,	"	2.00	
Funk & Wagnalls Co.,	"	15.50	
King, Richardson Co.,	"	7.50	
P. C. Jones, janitor		274.92	
" " labor		20.50	
J. H. Jansen. book		1.00	
D. Farquhar, binding		69.64	
Jaquith & Downs,	stock and labor	43.73	
W. C. Whiting,	" "	5.59	
C. W. Houghton,	" "	6.20	
F. J. Barnard & Co., binding		50.88	
Mutual Subscription Agy., magazines		138.55	
H. W. Woodhead,	"	13.50	
R. A. Whittaker,	"	12.00	
G. R. Barnstead, printing		6.25	
F. H. Peterson, labor		5.00	
W. F. Wheeler, "		3.00	
			$2,409.52

Old Burying Ground

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended	33.23
Unexpended	$1.77

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

C. C. Dike, labor	$5.34	
" " supplies	11.39	
Chas. Anderson, labor	9.00	
T. H. Meegan, "	3.25	
A. Holden, "	4.25	
		$33.23

Decoration Day

Appropriation	$525.00
Expended	420.45
Unexpended	$104.55

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. B. Cutter	$15.00	
C. M. Boyce & Son, teams	29.00	
C. H. Severance, "	6.00	
Reading Brass Band, music	75.00	
H. N. Wilson, supplies	58.60	
E. K. Farr, "	6.00	
A. O. Farley, "	70.00	
C. H. Batchelder & Co., "	35.00	
G. R. Barnstead, printing	13.00	
J. T. McKeen	1.00	
W. J. Millerick	25.00	
C. H. Thompson, expenses	19.35	
Cemetery Department, labor	67.50	
		$420.45

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths

Appropriation	$2,104.35
Received from State	116.44
" Assessments	1,022.80
" Barrels sold	1.15
	$3,244.74

Detail of Expenditure

G. M. Jefts, Supt.,	labor	.	$831.00
L. L. Percy,	"	.	760.62
P. Ploudre,	"	.	502.50
E. Meuse,	"	.	455.93
T. Hoey,	"	.	241.35
A. Lewis,	"	.	146.25
C. F. Ball,	"	.	301.31
A. Morrison,	"	.	3.25
F. E. Parks,	"	.	252.45
C. Trombly,	"	.	2.50
E. S. Hamblin,	"	.	115.05
C. H. Harris,	"	.	7.65
E. Knight,	"	.	9.14
F. G. Wiley,	"	.	85.96
J. Haley,	"	.	6.00
J. W. Holden,	"	.	7.50
M. S. Green,	"	.	30.00
P. J. Birmingham,	insurance	.	117.95
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	supplies		1.56
Eastern Oil & Gasoline Co.,	"		30.80
Bell Hdw. Co.,	"		3.93
S. J. Killorin,	"		6.35
T. W. Burr,	"		2.50
T. H. Lord,	"		6.30
G. N. Green,	"		32.28
C. M. Boyce & Son,	teams	.	91.00
G. R. Barnstead,	printing	.	6.50
C. Callahan	. . .	.	10.00
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	coal	.	2.20
H. A. Meek,	stock and labor	.	1.50
G. M. Jefts,	supplies and expenses		14.38
H. & L. Express Co.,	express	.	13.96
			$4,099.67

Electric Lights

Appropriation	$5,697.84
Expended	5,391.09
Unexpended	$306.75

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Edison Elec. Ill. Co.	$5,391.09

Printing

Appropriation	$450.00
Expended	449.92
Unexpended	.08

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. R. Barnstead, printing town reports	$449.92

Town Survey

Appropriation	$1,000.00
Expended	1,000.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. W. Churchill	$1,000.00

State and County Tax

County Tax	$5,004.49
State Tax	9,920.00
Nat'l Bank Tax	297.08
Charles River Basin Loan Fund, Int. on	215.51
" " " Cost of Maintenance	270.41
" " " Serial Bonds	15.84

Met. Parks Loan Sinking Fund, Int. on	301.95
" " " Interest on	884.25
" " " Cost of Maintenance	1,159.69
" " " Serial Bonds	16.85
Met. Parks " Sinking Fund, Series 2	64.47
" " " " " Int. on	198.07
" " " " " Mainten.	214.62
" " " " " Ser'l Bonds	1.24
" " " Cost Mainten. Nantasket	71.46
Wellington Bridge, Mainten. Special Assm't	176.77
Met. Sewer L'n S'k'g Fund No. Met. Syst'm.	1,145.57
" " " Interest on	2,198.29
" " " Cost Maintenance	2,278.67
" " " Serial Bonds	26.88
Repairs of State Highways	79.00
	$19,546.62

Interest

Appropriation	$6,600.00
Received on deposits	339.74
	$6,939.74
Expended	7,443.12
Overdrawn	$503.38

Detail of Expenditure

First National Bank	$4,000.83	
R. L. Day & Co.	2,801.91	
E. M. Stone	60.00	
Orange Savings Bank	60.00	
Commonwealth of Mass.	520.38	
		$7,443.12

Shade Trees

Appropriation	$250.00
Expended	197.95
Unexpended	$52.05

Detail of Expenditure

Frost Co.,	Supplies	$63.75	
Jaquith & Downs,	"	.75	
Bell Hdw. Co.	"	6.09	
Highway Dept.	Labor	10.50	
J. Hadock,	"	2.03	
Henry Meegan,	"	4.05	
T. H. Meegan,	"	2.25	
C. H. Harris,	"	2.40	
C. Ball	"	2.40	
G. M. Jefts,	"	33.00	
L. L. Percy,	"	20.00	
J. Meegan,	"	12.12	
P. Ploudre,	"	4.80	
T. Hoey,	"	2.40	
E. S. Hamblin,	"	2.40	
F. E. Parks,	"	13.20	
D. Sweet,	"	5.06	
A. L. Keyes,	"	5.06	
R. C. Little,	"	5.69	
			$197.95

Damage to Shade Trees

Received from Malden & Melrose Gas Lt. Co.	$450.00
Expended	266.95
Unexpended	$183.05

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

H. Joslyn,	Labor	$4.00	
L. L. Percy,	"	7.50	
D. Sherlock,	"	4.50	
J. Flynn,	"	4.50	
P. Ploudre,	"	19.20	
T. Hoey,	"	12.75	
E. Hamblin,	"	7.20	
C. H. Harris,	"	26.40	
C. Ball,	"	14.40	
L. Conley,	"	13.50	
Highway Dept.,	"	15.00	
H. A. Stevens,	Supplies	2.00	
Bell Hdw. Co.,	"	58.00	
N. E. Nurseries Co.,	Trees	78.00	
			$266.95

Lindenwood Cemetery

Received from Sale of Lots and Graves	$748.00
" " Care of Lots	1,008.75
" for Sale of Wood, Grass, etc.,	18.00
" " Foundations	92.25
" Opening Graves	356.00
Balance from 1912 Account	1,500.00
Perpetual Care Fund	937.50
	$4,660.74
Expended	3,579.46
Unexpended	$1,081.28

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

A. W. Woodward,	Labor	$555.16	
J. Fedigan,	"	370.14	
J. Connell,	"	2.00	

W. Deveau,	Labor	$452.78	
G. A. B. Forsyth,	"	441.07	
W. Dempsey	"	61.59	
L. Surrette,	"	280.26	
W. R. McLeod	"	182.83	
I. Frotten,	"	141.68	
C. Cole,	"	90.54	
F. Halpin,	"	20.25	
C. W. Messer,	"	448.89	
C. W. Messer, Team		12.50	
W. V. Dixey, Plans		30.00	
C. W. Houghton, Stock and Labor		2.55	
J. H. Reynolds,	" "	17.07	
T. R. McNelly,	" "	9.83	
T. Patchett,	" "	4.00	
Jaquith & Downs,	" "	2.75	
W. P. Gray,	" "	.85	
Highway Dept.	" "	1.80	
Water Dept.	" "	91.30	
L. Hoyt,	" "	5.06	
Bell Hdw. Co.,	Supplies	65.14	
Jos. Butler,	"	62.60	
A. W. Hastings & Co.	"	14.60	
G. W. Blanchard Co.	"	40.09	
C. H. Severance,	"	28.00	
W. C. Whitcher,	"	10.20	
P. J. Birmingham,	Insurance	80.50	
A. S. Parker,	Plants	53.43	
			$3,579.46

Perpetual Care of Lots in Lindenwood Cemetery

Received from Fund	$1,051.50
Expended	1.051.50

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

C. W. Messer, Dressing	$114.00	
Lindenwood Cem., Stock and Labor	937.50	
		$1,051.50

Miscellaneous

Appropriation	$3,000.00
Receipts	311.43
	$3,311.43
Expended	3,655.09
Overdrawn	$343.66

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	$103.53
Edison Elec. Ill. Co., Light	174.70
Malden & Melrose Gas Co., Gas	14.39
G. R. Barnstead, Printing	454.40
C. M. Boyce & Son, Teams	36.00
Independent Ice C., Ice	5.00
J. C. Hall Co., Supplies	24.79
Hobbs & Warren, "	72.96
G. B. Graff, "	18.40
Thomas Groom & Co., "	10.25
T. E. Rolfe, "	66.75
R. E. Sheridan, "	34.02
Union Stamp Works, "	3.15
H. B. McArdle, "	6.00
W. H. Sprague, "	31.24
W. P. Gray, "	93.37
George N. Green, "	15.95
Wright & Potter, "	2.80
R. Woodman Mfg. Co., "	1.05
J. S. Lewis "	53.25

S. A. Lawrence,	Supplies .	$42.48
C. A. Sutherland,	" .	9.75
W. C. Bancroft,	" .	4.40
H. M. Meek,	" .	8.50
A. F. Willey,	" .	1.00
S. A. Lawrence,	" .	22.14
W. J. Nagle,	" .	6.00
E. Caldwell,	" .	39.00
E. A. Hammond,	" .	4.70
W. M. L. McAdams,	" .	5.40
Stoneham Garage	" .	7.50
Bell Hdw. Co.,	" .	.80
Turner Tanning Mch. Co.	" .	1.00
G. B. Williams,	" .	.75
J. C. C. Small,	" .	4.19
A. C. Lord,	" .	2.50
R. E. Whittaker,	" .	3.75
Jaquith & Downs,	Stock and Labor	10.46
A. H. Williams,	" "	13.87
J. H. Kerrigan,	Services .	59.00
D. E. Smith,	" .	33.07
H. H. Richardson,	" .	555.25
J. H. Buck,	" .	6.20
F. E. Park,	" .	15.15
J. A. Boyle,	" .	10.00
C. W. Houghton,	" .	2.30
G. W. Nickerson,	" .	35.50
H. G. Rowe, Damages	. .	135.00
S. E. Barnstead, Labor	. .	20.10
P. W. Valentine, Photographs	.	4.50
O. T. Keating, "	. .	16.00
G. Litchfield, "	. .	25.20
C. Flynn, "	. .	57.90
F. Carr, "	. .	4.00
M. M. Metevear, "	. .	70.50
I. Thompson, "	. .	52.20

S. A. Lawrence, Taxes	$322.57
W. C. Arnold, Tuition	24.00
A. B. Jenney, Returning Births	4.25
J. W. Heath, " "	.25
G. W. Nickerson, " "	8.00
M. D. Sheehan, " "	16.00
E. H. Wells " "	.50
A. Kechejian, " "	12.50
A. J. Dunning, " "	12.50
F. T. Churchill, " Deaths	1.75
M. Flynn	50.10
C. Carron	16.20
B. & M. R. R., Rent	1.00
G. W. Newhall, Supplies	23.75
American Ex. Co., Express	.55
Commonwealth of Mass., Cer. Notes	54.27
O. Gilmore & Co., Insurance	50.00
Wakefield Item, Supplies	3.50
M. Fisher, Damages	100.00
H. F. Wellman, Damages	100.00
A. A. Applin, Ex. of Titles	33.20
L. B. R. Gray, Building Inspector	100.00
T. R. Symmes, Jr., Labor	8.50
Robert Moody, "	5.08
Dexter G. Pratt, Supplies	29.86
F. E. Parks, Teller, May Mar. Nov.	9.90
M. D. Whitcher, " " "	7.80
C. S. Lynde, Tel. May Mar. Sept. Nov.	14.40
C. P. Brawley, " " " " "	14.40
J. H. Fitzpatrick " " " " "	14.40
A. R. Park, " "	4.50
J. E. Fulton, " "	7.80
W. J. Finnegan, " "	7.80
C. V. Blackburn "	2.85
Jos. Belcher, " Mar.	1.95
T. M. Thornton, " "	1.95

E. McAnanny, Tel.	Mar.	.	.	1.95
C. Whitehouse "	"	.	,	1.95
J. L. Keating, "	"	.	.	1.95
F. J. Reynolds, "	"	.	.	1.95
W H Thompson "	"	.	.	1.95
P. Halpin, "	"	.	.	1.95
G. A. Hersam, "	" Nov.	.	.	6.15
J. R. Wall, "	" "	.	.	4.05
D. P. Hurld, "	" "	.	.	4.05
A. D. Clark, "	May	.	.	3.30
E. H. Smith, "	"	.	.	.30
Edw. Perry, "	"	.	.	.30
P. J. Welch, "	"	.	.	.30
F. L. Desmond, "	" Sept.	Nov.	.	6.90
A. N. Theobald "	"	"	.	5.10
J. H. Halpin, "	"	"	.	3.00
G. A. Packard, "	"	"	.	3.00
C. A. Parsons, "	"	.	.	2.40
G. W. Newhall, "	"	.	.	2.40
W. A. Oppen, "	"	.	.	.90
R. H. Holman, "	"	.	.	.90
J J. M'Laughlin "	"	.	.	.90
E. Brady, "	"	.	.	.90
J F Brosenham "	"	.	.	.90
F. W. Carter, "	"	.	.	.90
C. E. Cloutman "	"	.	.	.90
Edw. Perry, "	"	.	.	.90
E. J. C. McKeen "	Nov.	.	.	4.20
F. T. Halpin, "	"	.	.	2.10
F. X. Harney, "	"	.	.	2.10
J. E. Cogan, "	"	.	.	2.10
H. E. Moser, "	"	.	.	2.10
H. C. Grover, "	"	.	.	2.10
T. A. Shea, "	"	.	.	2.10
				$3,655.09

Pay Roll

D. G. Pratt,	Labor	$374.40
T. R. Symmes, Jr.,	"	792.15
P. J. Regan,	"	1,134.00
D. P. Conway,	"	864.00
J. Murphy,	"	63.80
J. Reynolds,	"	649.25
M. M. McCormick,	"	455.44
J. Higgins,	"	395.86
J. Myers,	"	317.08
D. P. Hurld,	"	505.24
J. Conway,	"	62.25
J. Haley,	"	439.54
J. Lannon,	"	404.58
H. McKeever,	"	293.58
P. Kelly,	"	280.94
E. Doherty,	"	476.40
O. Hoey,	"	65.08
C. A. Owen,	"	184.00
T. H. Meegan,	"	796.93
T. Martin,	"	3.50
C. H. Severance,	"	335.68
F. G. Wiley,	"	503.85
E. Webb,	"	2.00
J. McCormick,	"	2.00
M. Hardy,	"	116.49
W. F. Wheeler,	"	35.22
J. Keating,	"	3.75
W. Crowson,	"	146.18
J. Cullen,	"	6.56
J. Flynn,	"	591.26
T. Mulroney,	"	80.03
A. A. Pratt,	"	10.25
R. P. Moody,	"	83.42
J. Gillespie,	"	30.85

D. Sweet,	Labor	. .	418.02
J. Ryan,	"	. .	5.00
J. Brady,	"	. .	48.13
J. Fedigan,	"	. .	382.96
L. D. Hawkins,	"	. .	2.00
M. Haley,	"	. .	323.43
A. A. Elston,	"	. .	17.16
M. Haddy,	"	. .	7.25
C. Carroll,	"	. .	158.73
G. Yates,	"	. .	54.25
Jas. Conway,	"	. .	102.38
J. Hannon,	"	. .	162.58
J. W. McGovern,	"	. .	44.72
T. Flynn,	"	. .	129.06
T. McHale,	"	. .	19.41
E. Pratt,	"	. .	103.59
O. Kenney,	"	. .	167.51
T. F. Flynn,	"	. .	470.29
W. Warner,	"	. .	34.03
F. Conlan,	"	. .	16.03
W. Chubbuck,	"	. .	2.53
O. C. Perry,	"	. .	38.82
P. Kernan,	"	. .	131.20
H. Donavan,	"	. .	61.53
T. Montague,	"	. .	13.78
J. O'Donnell,	"	. .	147.09
J. Sullivan,	"	. .	22.50
C. Morris,	"	. .	11.25
A. Hastings,	"	. .	125.15
J. Gullella,	"	. .	24.19
W. T. Quinlan,	"	. .	35.99
R. M. Smith,	"	. .	48.89
W. F. McCall,	"	. .	99.70
J. W. Holden,	"	. .	381.22
M. McKenna,	"	. .	130.07
L. McHugh,	"	. .	360.17

H. McGuire,	Labor . .	$50.62
J. Byron,	" . .	2.81
C. LeMoine,	" . .	161.31
E. LeMoine,	" . .	2.53
W. Keating, Jr.,	" . .	33.76
A. Thibodeau,	" . .	6.19
D. Sherlock,	" . .	300.36
A. L. Keyes,	" . .	221.88
T. Hoey,	" . .	5.55
Nils Nelson,	" . .	7.00
J. McGowan,	" . .	30.94
W. Newhall,	" . .	12.09
W. Haggerty,	" . .	6.75
J. Wall,	" . .	14.34
P. O'Toole,	" . .	58.78
P. Hoffer,	" . .	13.00
R. C. Little,	" . .	329.47
C. H. Mason,	" . .	120.24
P. J. McHale,	" . .	394.15
C. J. Sweeney,	" . .	874.08
C. Govatsos,	" . .	4.50
C. M. Boyce,	" . .	2.00
Hayward & Litch,	" . .	53.75
B. Smart,	" . .	47.07
W. A. Bent,	" . .	88.04
W. Doherty,	" . .	320.15
I. Geremonti,	" . .	21.10
C. Twombly,	" . .	489.71
C. H. Anderson,	" . .	29.82
P. McDonough,	" . .	81.27
D. Morrison,	" . .	9.00
M. Simons,	" . .	5.34
P. Murphy,	" . .	186.99
George Chambers,	" . .	88.89
J. Riley,	" . .	96.78
T. Cullen,	" . .	32.06

S. W. Ball,	Labor	. .	$26.44
J. Byron,	"	. .	6.47
C. Nason,	"	. .	6.75
L. Sweet,	"	. .	105.36
Henry Hurld,	"	. .	128.38
M. Alban,	"	. .	105.01
W. Kennedy,	"	. .	106.51
T. Lannon,	"	. .	51.61
Wm. Box,	"	. .	68.59
J. Ginto,	"	. .	107.62
M. Sullivan,	"	. .	80.02
T. Capello,	"	. .	16.00
H. Joslyn,	"	. .	70.03
O. Duffy,	"	. .	158.11
R. Williamson,	"	. .	33.25
J. Aylward,	"	. .	69.54
C. H. Hayward,	"	. .	18.13
T. Riley,	"	. .	22.50
T. Flynn,	"	. .	22.50
P. J. Flynn,	"	. .	21.09
J. Haddock,	"	. .	88.97
E. Perry,	"	. .	26.72
E. Butler,	"	. .	17.88
H. W. Smith,	"	. .	35.87
W. Hennessey,	"	. .	1.13
J. F. O'Neil,	"	. .	11.82
Arthur Mohan,	"	. .	21.08
T. McDermott,	"	. .	43.83
W. McCormick,	"	. .	22.22
D. McGaffigan,	"	. .	12.25
F. J. Pendergast,	"	. .	58.11
P. Murphy Jr.,	"	. .	37.97
Jas. Fedigan,	"	. .	10.97
J. F. Cahill,	"	. .	111.58
R. Whitcomb,	"	. .	68.89
H. Blout,	"	. .	3.38

J. L. Kenney,	Labor	$1.13	
Chas. Kenney,	"	24.75	
P. Ballases,	"	2.25	
E. Smith,	"	9.15	
Mrs. Durgin,	"	2.00	
John Flynn,	"	11.25	
M. Gullella,	"	6.57	
R. Woods,	"	2.16	
R. J. Kennedy,	"	4.08	
D. Quinlan,	"	1.88	
J. Doherty,	"	1.41	
S. Lewis,	"	1.13	
J. Glynn,	"	4.78	
J. Boyce,	"	3.66	
M. H. McKenna,	"	7.00	
G. S. Drew,	"	8.00	
C. Mason,	"	24.75	
			$20,747.81

Highways

Appropriation	$6,250.00
Total Receipts	5,324.17
	$11,574.17
Expended	11,908.89
Overdrawn	$334.72

Detail of Expenditure

M. Olsen,	supplies	$1.50
McDonald Bros.,	"	15.80
T. W. Burr,	"	24.12
Library Bureau,	"	1.08
Puritan Iron Works		92.00
L. D. Hawkins		2.00

G. W. Blanchard Co.	$124.32
R. Philpot	106.06
Portland Stoneware Co.	161.28
C. W. Houghton	25.79
E. A. Peabody & Son	16.00
American Express Co.	4.80
H. & L. Express Co.	5.50
W. W. Fisk & Co.	344.38
Bell Hardware Co.	83.85
T. R. McNelly	92.93
Joseph Butler	29.98
G. H. Sampson,	5.00
McKenna Bros.	27.70
P. J. Birmingham	250.27
B. L. Makepiece	2.05
S. A. Hill	5.00
Dyer Supply Co.	73.25
Chase & Finnegan	10.30
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	26.94
G. R. Barnstead	8.00
A. W. Rice	.65
Tom Patchett	19.84
Eagle Oil and Supply Co.	36.50
Bell Hardware Co.	47.87
H. L. Bond Co.	82.78
Buffalo Steam Roller Co.	210.05
Jaquith & Downs	12.57
G. E. Gilchrist Co.	44.90
T. H. Mulroney, gravel	17.05
Boston & Maine R. R.	16.76
Farrell Foundry Co.	67.50
A. J. Durgin	2.00
Clinton Wire Cloth Co.	8.00
Deering Lumber Co.	17.82
E. H. Chapin	6.91
Acme Road Mch. Co.	16.87

Good Roads Mch. Co.	22.37	
Gibbons Contracting Co.	1,062.81	
Barbour Stockwell Co.	7.50	
Maryland Casualty Co.	336.90	
C. M. Boyce & Son	104.75	
L. A. Holden	26.00	
H. L. Emerson	2.10	
Barrett Mfg. Co.	705.69	
W. F. Wheeler	32.00	
Kinley Leather Co.	7.75	
J. S. Lewis	3.00	
Charles Baldwin	8.00	
Globe Newspaper	.75	
M. H. McKenna	60.60	
M. D. Nason	3.50	
T. J. Shea	24.20	
N. E. Road Mch. Co.	122.50	
W. C. Whitcher	69.18	
Stoneham Tanning Co.	327.00	
G. A. Shields	5.80	
M. H. O'Brien	39.36	
J. T. McKeen	6.10	
H. A. Meek	5.90	
H. S. Harris & Co.	1.50	
L. L. Gove	16.67	
Ingersoll Sergeant Drill Co.	9.75	
American Tarr Co.	49.00	
Park Department, gravel	14.70	
American Glue Co.	2.60	
M. McNulty	5.50	
Pay Roll	6,677.44	
		$11,908.89

Perkins Street

Appropriation	$1,730.34

Received from County . . .	837.50
	$2,567.84
Expended	2,928.58
Overdrawn	$360.74

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

S. O. Co. of N. Y., Supplies .	$247.13	
Chase & Finnegan, " . .	.30	
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., " . .	2.00	
Chas. Baldwin, " . .	8.00	
J. S. Lewis, " . .	2.50	
McKenna Bros., " . .	5.50	
W. W. Fisk & Co., Fuel . .	269.79	
Boston Globe, Adv. . .	5.10	
G. R. Barnstead, Printing . .	1.70	
C. M. Boyce & Son, Team . .	15.50	
H. A. Meek, Stock and Labor .	3.00	
T. A. Mulroney, " " .	24.85	
Pay Roll	2,343.21	
		$2,928.58

East Street Walk

Appropriation	$350.00
Expended	249.63
Unexpended	$100.37

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

A. T. Locke, Supplies . .	$28.55	
T. A. Mulroney, Stock and Labor .	42.00	
Pay Roll	179.08	
		$249.63

Breaking Snow

Appropriation	$503.15
Due from Bay State St. R. R. Co.	26.54
	$529.69
Expended	$559.96
Overdrawn	$30.27

Detail of Expenditure

T. R. McNelly,	Stock and Labor	$23.65
E. H. Chapin,	" "	2.10
T. A. Mulroney,	" "	6.65
H. A. Meek,	" "	15.20
P. J. Birmingham,	Insurance	3.75
C. M. Boyce & Son,	Team	4.00
Gibbons Contracting Co.,	Supplies	18.00
Dyar Supply Co.,	"	4.00
A. L. Philbrick,	"	38.25
Pay Roll		444.36
		$559.96

Street Railings

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	208.11
Overdrawn	$8.11

Detail of Expenditure

Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	Supplies	$92.80
Pay Roll		115.31
		$208.11

Warren and Gerry Streets

Appropriation	$67.50
Assessment	46.75
	$114.25
Expended	$96.39
Unexpended	$17.86

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney	$93.89	
Pay Roll	2.50	
		$96.39

Summer Street

Appropriation	$135.00
Assessment	84.82
	$219.82
Expended	204.10
Unexpended	$15.72

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney	$199.10	
Pay Roll	5.00	
		$204.10

Avon and Myrtle Streets

Appropriation	$50.00
Assessment	37.88
	$87.88
Expended	95.59
Overdrawn	$7.71

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney	$95.59	

Keene Street

Appropriation		$70.00
Assessment		31.46
		$101.46
Expended		91.96
Unexpended		$9.70

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney	$87.01	
Pay Roll	4.75	
		$91.76

Broadway Sidewalk

Appropriation		$500.00
Expended		498.51
Unexpended		$1.49

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Jaquith & Downs, Supplies	$8.50	
Pay Roll	490.01	
		$498.51

Summer Street Culvert

Appropriation	$150.00
Expended	75.21
Unexpended	$74.79

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. H. Thompson	1.50	
G. W. Blanchard	10.00	
Pay Roll	63.71	
		$75.21

Lindenwood Road Bridge

Appropriation	$50.00
" Bal. from Summer and Central Street Bridges	162.81
	$212.81
Expended	65.88
Unexpended	$146.93

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Blanchard Kendall Co.	$44.63	
Jaquith & Downs	1.25	
Pay Roll	20.00	
		$65.88

Central Street Bridge

Appropriation	$150.00
Expended	88.98
Unexpended	$61.02

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

B. & M. R. R. Co.	$2.22	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	60.48	
Pay Roll	26.28	
		$88.98

Oiling Streets

Appropriation		$400.00
Assessment		988.05
Received from Benton Street Acct.		47.50
		$1,435.55
Expended		1,049.31
Unexpended		$386.24

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Dustoline Co., Supplies	$391.39	
B. & M. R. R. Co., Freight	6.40	
Indian Refining Co., Supplies	10.13	
Alden Spears Sons Co. "	339.56	
Pay Roll	301.83	
		$1,049.31

Concrete Sidewalks

WRIGHT STREET

Appropriation	$30.00
Assessment	21.66
	$51.66
Expended	44.58
Unexpended	$7.08

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney, Stock and Labor	$43.08	
Pay Roll	1.50	
		$44.58

LINCOLN STREET

Appropriation		$25.00
Assessment		17.07
		$42.07
Expended		$35.88
Unexpended		$6.19

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney, Stock and Labor	$33.88	
Pay Roll	2.00	
		$35.88

WINTHROP STREET

Appropriation		$19.00
Assessment		15.27
		$34.27
Expended		32.03
Unexpended		$2.24

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

T. A. Mulroney	$30.53	
Pay Roll	1.50	
		$32.03

Horses, Cart and Harness

Appropriation		$1,000.00
Expended		1,001.88
Overdrawn		$1.88

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. B. McLane, cart	$200.00	
Lee & Smith, horses	800.00	
Boston Globe, advertising	1.88	
		$1,001.88

Concrete Repairs and Crosswalks

Appropriation	$780.00
Receipts	8.42
	$788.42
Expended	779.07
Unexpended	$9.35

Detail of Expenditure

T. W. Burr, supplies	$4.07	
G. R. Barnstead, printing	3.00	
J. S. Lewis, "	2.50	
W. W. Fisk & Co., coal, etc.	4.30	
T. A. Mulroney, stock and labor	690.45	
Pay Roll	74.75	
		$779.07

Franklin Street Concrete

Appropriation	$70.00
Assessment	39.86
	$109.86
Expended	112.79
Overdrawn	$2.93

Detail of Expenditure

T. A. Mulroney	$109.45	
Pay Roll	3.34	
		$112.79

Sewer

Detail of Expenditure

W. W. Fisk & Co.	$28.46

B. L. Makepeace	$4.03	
T. W. Burr	10.34	
Merrimac Foundry Co.	76.00	
P. J. Birmingham, insurance	131.70	
B. & M. R. R., freight	43.65	
Standard Oil Co.	10.94	
Chase & Finnegan	10.50	
American Express Co.	.70	
A. Bariffaldi	100.00	
G. R. Barnstead	26.75	
McKenna Bros.	12.58	
T. R. McNelly	4.05	
Puritan Iron Works	20.00	
Dyar Supply Co.	42.87	
Charles Baldwin	2.80	
Deering Lumber Co.	10.18	
W. F. Wheeler	5.00	
E. H. Chapin	6.88	
Portland Stone Ware Co.	301.10	
Grant Nail & Supply Co.	3.10	
Maryland Casualty Co.	74.53	
Milford Iron Foundry	16.00	
T. J. Shea	1.75	
Braman Dow & Co.	23.33	
G. W. Blanchard	1.66	
Pay Roll	2,065.93	
		$3,034.83

Perkins Street Sewer

Detail of Expenditure

W. F. Wheeler	$12.00
C. M. Boyce & Son	10.00
C. L. Hoffman	641.25
G. R. Barnstead	1.50

Pay Roll	49.95	
		$714.70

Debt

Appropriation	$13,000.00
" from Water Receipts .	1,000.00
	$14,000.00
Expended	14,000.00

Detail of Expenditure

First National Bank, Boston	$14,000.00

Notes

Outstanding in anticipation of 1912 Taxes	$40,000.00
Given in anticipation of 1913 Taxes .	130,000.00
	$170,000.00
Paid Notes	$125,000.00
Outstanding in anticipation of 1913 Taxes	$45,000.00

Water Department

Detail of Expenditure

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone .	$100.10
Edison Elec. Ill. Co. . . .	19.00
L. F. Walker, rent . . .	275.00
B. & M. R. R., freight . .	53.34
American Express Co. . .	4.05
W. P. Gray, supplies . .	44.73
" " registrar . .	200.00
F. W. Barry Beale Co., supplies .	.56
McKenna Bros., . . .	209.81

Mrs. L. L. Gerry	$6.50
Union Water Meter Co.	5.21
National Meter Co.	2,159.48
Jaquith & Downs	31.37
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.	67.70
G. E. Martin	11.10
R. E. Sheridan	1.70
B. L. Makepeace	19.08
H. R. Worthington Co.	20.40
G. E. Gilchrist Co.	473.56
Rickerburg Brass Co.	204.47
T. W. Burr	67.94
Cutter & Wood Supply Co.	2.25
Library Bureau	37.15
Merrimac Iron Foundry	9.50
Town of Wakefield	116.00
P. J. Birmingham, insurance	94.02
W. W. Fisk & Co.	65.90
Dyar Supply Co.	101.16
W. C. Whitcher	132.23
Standard Oil Co.	11.44
Rensselaer Valve Co.	601.00
Smith & Anthony Co.	136.62
Standard Cast Iron & Pipe Co.	813.23
Davis & Farnum Co.	99.70
Lead Lined Iron Pipe Co.	933.99
Sanitas Mfg. Co.	54.35
G. R. Barnstead	98.50
Hayward & Litch	16.15
Mass. Metal Polish Co.	8.20
F. A. Hoadlette & Son	27.55
T. Patchett	1.75
A. J. Twombly & Co.	4.00
Chase & Finnegan	4.25
Chadwick Boston Lead Co.	160.99
A. W. Rice	.50

C. W. Houghton	$35.65
E. H. Chapin	15.86
C. M. Boyce & Son	60.25
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	150.16
McShane & Day	15.00
Maurice McKenna	71.28
T. A. Mulroney	18.92
Ames Plow Co.	8.63
Bell Hardware Co.	50.12
A. W. Outram	14.00
C. L. Hoffman	29.32
A. L. Messer	.90
L. L. Gove	11.29
T. R. McNelly	187.83
J. H. Reynolds	25.71
H. L. Bond Co.	30.48
Joseph Butler	18.65
Grant Nail & Supply Co.	3.60
S. Crouch	1.25
Maryland Casualty Co.	421.61
Ingersoll Sergeant Drill Co.	12.45
Charles Baldwin	48.05
Lynchburg Foundry Co.	23.00
G. H. Harris	4.00
G. A. Shields	.70
W. F. Woodburn	72.00
Globe Gaslight Co.	6.00
Tenney Morse & Co.	135.93
Kennedy Valve Co.	35.15
S. A. Hill	16.50
The Travellers' Insurance Co.	50.53
Braman Dow & Co.	22.00
C. H. Arnold	10.00
Sumner & Gerald	11.52
L. J. Barwood Co.	1.00
G. W. Blanchard &. Co.	6.75

P. G. Webber	$2.96	
Monach Brass Co.	17.18	
R. A. Whittaker	.94	
H. E. Hersam	2.00	
Waldo Bros.	.90	
First Nat'l Bank, Boston, interest	3,712.10	
" " " " debt	6,000.00	
State Tax	10,213.41	
Pay Roll	4,591.97	
		$33,673.07
Transfer to Spring St. Hydrant, supplies		$63.82
		$33,609.25

Harrison Street Water

Appropriation	$340.00
Expended	279.24
Unexpended	$60.76

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

P. J. Regan, car fares	$2.80	
W. W. Fisk & Co., supplies	2.08	
Standard Oil Co., "	1.00	
Dyar Supply Co., "	3.28	
T. W. Burr	1.00	
Pay Roll	269.08	
		$279.24

Cedarway Water and Elwood Avenue

Appropriation	$1,578.58
Expended	279.74
Unexpended	$1,298.84

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. W. Fisk & Co.,	supplies	$1.00	
Dyar Supply Co.,	"	3.28	
Pay Roll		275.46	
			$279.74

Stevens Street Water

Appropriation	$175.00
Expended	153.96
Unexpended	$21.04

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. W. Fisk & Co.,	supplies	$1.00	
Dyar Supply Co.,	"	3.29	
C. L. Hoffman & Sons,	"	2.00	
E. H. Chapin, stock and labor		6.88	
Pay Roll		140.79	
			$153.96

North Street Water

Expended	$1,046.57

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Tenney Morse & Co.,	supplies	$401.52	
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	"	3.75	
McKenna Bros.,	"	5.50	
Pay Roll		635.80	
			$1,046.57

Water Meters

Appropriation	$2,000.00
Expended	2,103.06
Overdrawn	$103.06

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

L. J. Barwood, Supplies	$2.60	
Nat. Met. Co., Meters	2,100.00	
B. & M. R. R., Freight	.46	
		$2,103.06

Main Street Water

Appropriation	$4,074.20
Expended	4150.61
Overdrawn	$76.41

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Globe Newspaper Co., Adv.	$11.70	
Standard Pipe and Foundry Co., Sup.	1,347.66	
Tenney, Morse & Co., "	95.86	
H. L. Bond & Co., "	10.15	
Braman Dow & Co., "	37.93	
Robert E. Sheridan, "	6.20	
G. E. Gilchrist, "	280.35	
F. A. Houdlette & Son "	17.83	
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co., "	104.65	
W. W. Fisk & Co., "	28.23	
H. L. Emerson, "	.60	
Lumsden & Van Stone "	14.90	
G. W. Blanchard, "	84.46	
M. H. O'Brien, "	6.00	
Bell Hardware Co., "	10.00	
B. & M. R. R., Freight	180.89	
Boston Daily Advertiser, Adv.	7.15	
T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor	10.40	
T. A. Mulroney	3.63	
Pay Roll	1,886.52	
		$4,150.61

Spring Street Hydrant

Appropriation	$80.00
Expended	83.76
Overdrawn	3.76

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Supplies	$63.82	
Pay Roll	19.94	
		$83.76

Water Registrar

Water Warrant, June and December, 1913	$24,662.85
Collections paid Treasurer	23,794.43
Uncollected, shut-off, held pending, adjustment and correction	$868.42

Collector's Statement

1907 Assessments		$106,260.05
Interest		1,950.90
Gypsy Moth		919.55
Street Watering		373.09
		$109,503.59
Less Discount		651.95
		$108,851.64
Paid Treasurer		
Abatements	$2,970.10	
Interest	1,948.20	
Tax	102,643.48	
Gypsy Moth	909.02	
Gypsy Moth Abatement	12.51	
Street Watering	368.33	
		$108,851.64

Sewer Assessment		$3,044.07	
Paid Treasurer			
Abatements	$49.59		
Tax	2,962.02		
		$3,011.61	
Uncollected		$32.46	
1908 Assessment			$107,296.81
Interest			1,675.66
Gypsy Moth			1,171.21
Street Watering			373.09
			$110,516.77
Discount			632.35
			$109,884.42
Paid Treasurer			
Abatements		$3,233.42	
Interest		1,664.20	
Tax		103,350.62	
Gypsy Moth		1,130.57	
Gypsy Moth Abatement		23.72	
Street Watering		375.89	
			$109,828.42
Uncollected			$56.00
Sewer Assessment		$2,915.85	
Paid Treasurer			
Abatements	$10.87		
Tax	2,812.35		
		$2,823.22	
Uncollected		$92.63	
1909 Assessment			$108,468.27
Interest			1,590.21
Gypsy Moth			1,233.58
Street Watering			359.88
			$111,651.94

Discount		647.29
		$111,004.65
Paid Treasurer		
Abatements . . .	$2,909.03	
Interest . . .	1,590.37	
Tax	104,794.71	
Gypsy Moth . . .	1,193.20	
Gypsy Moth Abatement .	22.63	
Street Watering . .	364.71	
		$110,874.65
Uncollected		$130.00
Sewer Assessment . .	$2,966.65	
Paid Treasurer . .	2,754.45	
Uncollected . . .	$212.20	
1910 Assessment		$109,626.53
Interest		1,651.51
Gypsy Moth		823.25
Street Watering		331.52
		$112,432.81
Discount		576.04
		$111,866.77
Paid Treasurer		
Abatements . . .	$2,747.91	
Interest . . .	1,655.54	
Tax	106,012.21	
Gypsy Moth . . .	788.53	
Street Watering . .	318.46	
		$111,522.65
Uncollected		$344.12
Sewer Assessment . .	$2,890.96	
Paid Treasurer . .	2,686.77	
Uncollected . . .	$203.99	

1911 Assessment		$110,402.33
Interest		1,294.42
Gypsy Moth		1,720.00
Street Watering		336.26
		$113,753.01
Discount		750.91
		$113,002.10
Paid Treasurer		
Abatement	$1,998.24	
Interest	1,306.52	
Tax	106,159.53	
Gypsy Moth	1,684.64	
Street Watering	328.69	
		$111,477.62
Uncollected		$1,524.48
Sewer Assessment	$826.23	
Paid Treasurer	693.21	
Uncollected	$133.02	
1912 Assessment		$125,081.82
Interest		675.87
Gypsy Moth		1,628,08
Street Watering		336.71
		$127,722.48
Discount		832.09
		$126,890.39
Paid Treasurer		
Abatement	$1,780.90	
Interest	678.03	
Tax	110,960.64	
Gypsy Moth	1,425.67	
Street Watering	304.80	
		$115,150.04
Uncollected		$11,740.35

Sewer Assessment	$2,008.40	
Paid Treasurer	1,848.86	
Uncollected	$159.54	
1913 Assessment		$137,263.61
Interest		34.70
Gypsy Moth		1,611.20
Street Watering		988.05
		$139,897.56
Discount		826.67
		$139,070.89
Paid Treasurer		
Abatement	$1,748.56	
Intereet	34.70	
Tax	92,700.93	
Gypsy Moth	1,023.75	
Street Watering	693.12	
" " Abatement	3.84	
		$96,204.90
Uncollected		$42,865.99
Sewer Assessment	$1,044.55	
Paid Treasurer	488.73	
Uncollected	$555.82	
Total Uncollected		$56,660.94
" " Sewer		1,389.66
		$58,050.60

APPROPRIATIONS, RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES

ACCOUNT	APPRO.	RECEIPTS	EXPEND.	UNEXPEND.	OVERDRAWN
Aid, Military	$100 00	$136 00	$192 00	$44 00	
State		4 388 00	3 922 00	466 00	
Armory		2 413 85	2 362 08	51 77	
Ashes and Garbage	1 841 01		1 348 19	492 82	
Board of Health General Expenses	400 00		201 31	198 69	
Account Sewer Connection	200 00		32 56	167 44	
Cemetery, Lindenwood	500 24	3 160 50	3 579 46	1 081 28	
Old Burying Ground	35 00		33 23	1 77	
Perpetual Care Fund			1 051 50		
Debt	14 000 00		14 000 00		
Decoration Day	525 00		420 45	104 55	
Electric Lighting	5 697 84		5 391 09	306 75	
Fire Department	5 500 00		5 481 90	18 10	
Reps. Eng. Ho.	400 00		394 65	5 35	
Hose	500 00		500 00		
Motor Truck	5 900 00		5 775 00	125 00	
Underground Wires	525 00		525 00		
Universal Box	255 00		255 00		
Highways	6 250 00	5 124 17	11 582 49		$208 32
Perkins Street Rebuilding	1 730 00	837 50	2 928 58		361 08
Oiling Streets	400 00	Assess.	1 049 31		
Street Rails	200 00		208 11		8 11
Horses, etc.	1 000 00		1 001 88		1 88
Lindenwood Road Bridge	195 81		45 88	149 93	
Central Street Bridge	150 00		108 98	41 02	
Summer Street Drain	150 00		75 21	74 79	
Breaking Snow	503 15	20	559 96		56 61
Interest	6 600 00	204 99	7 443 12		638 13

Miscellaneous	3 000 00	311 43	3 656 09		343 66
Moths, Public	2 114 35	1 15	2 162 26		56 76
Private		Assess.	1 801 67		
Notes		130 000 00	125 000 00		
Playground	104 55	12 84	101 55	15 84	
Police	4 400 00		4 644 53		244 53
Poor and Almshouse	5 500 00	4 876 31	10 699 21		322 90
Printing	450 00		449 92	08	
Public Library	1 759 58	798 43	2 409 52	148 49	
Rent	720 00		720 00		
Schools	37 783 72	49 50	37 902 33		69 11
High School Painting	175 00		175 00		
High School Tinting	225 00		225 00		
High School Toilet	575 00		575 00		
South School Painting	200 00		176 75	23 25	
Dean School Ceiling	225 00		225 00		
Dean School Floor	575 00		575 00		
School Physician	150 00		150 00		
Night School	500 00		236 38	263 62	
Sewer Maintenance	1 900 00		1 474 71	427 29	
Shade Trees	250 00		250 56		56
Account Gas Damage		450 00	350 08	99 92	
Concrete Repairs	750 00	8 42	795 07		36 65
Concrete Sidewalks			697 12		
Broadway Walk	500 00		498 51	1 49	
Main Street Walk	50 00		49 21	79	
East Street Walk	350 00		249 63	100 37	
Soldiers' Relief	2 500 00	260 00	3 073 62		313 62
Town Survey	1 000 00		1 000 00		
Taxes, State			19 546 62		
County			5 004 49		
Tax Titles			1 536 26		
Assessors	1 000 00		999 99	01	
Auditors	300 00		300 00		

APPROPRIATIONS, RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES

ACCOUNT	APPRO.	RECEIPTS	EXPEND.	UNEXPEND.	OVERDRAWN
Agent Board of Health	$50 00		$50 00		
Board of Health	175 00		175 00		
Clerk, Public Works	300 00		300 00		
Collector	650 00		650 00		
Janitor	150 00		150 00		
Moderator	25 00		25 00		
Overseers of Poor	400 00		399 33	67	
Registrars	125 00		125 00		
Sealer Weights and Measures	200 00		200 00		
Selectmen	300 00		300 00		
Town Clerk	700 00		700 00		
Town Treasurer	500 00		500 00		
Plumbing Inspector	300 00		300 00		
Milk Inspector	100 00		100 00		
Board of Public Works	300 00			$300 00	
			$301 853 35		

DEMANDS ON INTEREST

DATE	WHOM GIVEN	PURPOSE	RATE	AMOUNT	DUE
Oct. 28, 1913	Bearer	Antic. of Taxes	4.25	$10 000	Apr. 28, 1914
Nov. 12, 1913	"	" "	3.90	15 000	Apr. 12, 1914
Dec. 8, 1913	"	" "	3.90	10 000	May 8, 1914
Dec. 8, 1913	"	" "	3.90	5 000	May 8, 1914
Dec. 8, 1913	"	" "	3.90	5 000	May 8, 1914
June 1, 1896	"	Sewer	4	4 000	June 1, 1914
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1915
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1916
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1917
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1918
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1919
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1920
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1921
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1922
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1923
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1924
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1925
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1926
June 1, 1908	"	"	4	5 000	" 1927
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1928
June 1, 1911	"	"	4	5 000	" 1929
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1930
June 1, 1912	"	"	4	1 000	" 1914
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1915
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1916
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1917
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1918
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1919
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1920
Apr. 1, 1901	"	New High School	3½	3 000	Apr. 1, 1914
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1915
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1916
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1917
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1918
"	"	"	3½	2 000	" 1919
May 1, 1901	"	Water	3½	5 000	May 1, 1914
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1915
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1916
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1917
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1918
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1919
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1920
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1921
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1922
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1923
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1924
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1925

DEMANDS ON INTEREST

DATE	WHOM GIVEN	PURPOSE	RATE	AMOUNT	DUE
May 1, 1901	Bearer	Water	3½	5 000	May 1, 1926
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1927
"	"	"	3½	5 000	" 1928
"	"	"	3½	4 000	" 1929
May 1, 1908	"	"	4	5 000	" 1930
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1931
June 1, 1912	"	"	4	1 000	June 1, 1914
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1915
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1916
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1917
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1918
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1919
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1920
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1921
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1922
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1923
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1924
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1925
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1926
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1927
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1928
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1929
May 1, 1911	"	Playground	4	1 000	May 1, 1914
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1915
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1916
"	"	"	4	1 000	" 1917
				$260 000	

Town Treasurer's Report

Cash Account

DR.

Feb. 1913.	National Bank	$68.67	
	Five Cent Savings Bank	2,186.17	
	1913 bills paid	6,053.25	
	Cash	639.17	
			$8,947.26
Received	Almshouse and Town Farm		4,402.24
	State, Cities and Towns, Poor		474.07
	State, Rent of Armory		900.00
	Armory, Rentals		1,513.85
	Public Library, Fines, Catalogues, etc.		139.08
	Dog Tax, County Treas.		557.58
	Dog Tax Fees, Town Clerk		54.20
	Income from Dike Fund		47.57
	Stoneham National Bank, Interest		64.99
	Stoneham Water Dept., Int. Per. Care Fd. Bds.		140.00
	Com. of Mass., Spot Pond Land Tax, 1913		1,238.21
	Corporation Tax		3.033.74
	National Bank Tax		42.89
	Military Aid		136.00
	State Aid		4,388.00
	Burial Ind. Sold. and Sail.		111.00
	Temporary Aid		66.70
	Street Railway Tax		2,066.40
	Lind. Cem., Sale of Lots		633.00
	Sale of Graves		115.00
	Care, Main. and Repairs		1,008.75
	Foundations		92.25
	Opening Graves		356.00
	Sale of Wood, Grass, etc.		18.00
	Care, Perpetual Care Lots		937.50
	Fourth District Court, Fines		258.00
	Geo. B. Williams, Sealer's Fees		33.54
	Chas. F. Hayward, Fees Public Scales		33.03

Received	I. Yanofsky, Junk License	$50.00
	S. Dubropsky, " "	50.00
	M. Levine, " "	50.00
	I. Horovitz, " "	50.00
	Geo. N. Green, Milk Licenses	7.50
	Victuallers' Licenses	3.00
	Auctioneers' "	4.00
	Marriage " and Fees	72.00
	Butcher's "	1.00
	Pool and Bowling Alley Licenses	8.00
	Rec. Mort. and Assignments	35.50
	Rec. Pole Locations	16.89
	A. Robinson, Bow Street Gravel Pit Sold	224.00
	F. A. Richardson, Rent of Schoolhouse Lot	5.00
	O. Gilmore & Co., Prem. of Playgr'd H'se ret.	12.84
	School Department, Supplies Sold	12.00
	Rent of Hall	37.50
	Town of Reading, Soldiers' Relief	240.00
	Amt. Ret. from Pay Roll	20.00
	Amt. Trans. Sew. Const. Acct. to Sew. Maint. Acct.	900.00
	A. W. & C. W. Arnold, Account Sewer Stop.	2.00
	R. L. Day & Co., Notes	130,000.00
	Co-operative Bank, Rent	48.00
	Bay State Street Railway Co., Excise Tax	1,994.00
	Fence Mat. S'ld	8.67
	Acct. Pat. Con.	4.57
	New. Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Acct. Patching	3.85
	M. & M. Gas Lt. Co., Acct. Dam. Shade Trees	450.00
	Acct. Resurf'ng Streets	150.00
	Middlesex County, Reimbur. Acct. Perkins St.	837.50
	" " Main St.	500.00
	" " Hill St.	200.00
	Commonwealth of Mass., Acct. Moth Work	116.44
	A. L. Murphy, Acct. Spraying	6.50
	Moth Department, Acct. Barrels Sold	1.15
	Tax Titles Released, P. W. Merrill	11.94
	H. W. Rhoades,	8.26
	C. E. McIntosh	20.50
	M. H. Connell	191.90
	S. Higgins.	26.62
	Berry & Bucknam, Photographs Sold	4.50
	Commonwealth of Mass., Acct. Ed. In. In. Schools	38.00
	City of Woburn, Acct. Rebldg. Cedar St. Bridge	50.00

Received	S. A. Lawrence, Discounts Returned	$7.61
	Telephone Tolls	2.10
	Amt Ret. Pay Rolls, Acct. Overpay. Br'k'g Snow	.20
	Acct. Highway Department	5.69
	Amts. Rec. for W'k by Town, E. L. Patch, Sur.	1.18
	R. R. Patch, Sur.	.37
	C E McIntosh, Sur.	2.84
	D. G. Pratt, Supplies	3.05
	C. H. Arnold, Stone Furnished	12.95
	E. E. Hennis, " "	2.75
	E. L. Patch, " "	2.38
	S. G. Hanson, " "	.85
	E. J. Christensen, Dynamite	2.40
	N. Bean, Hauling Pipe	.63
	E. F. Whittier, Labor	2.29
	C. E. McIntosh, Surveying	2.00
	Gibbons Cont. Co., Babbitt Furn.	30.03
	A. B. Wilson, Oiling Benton and Warren Sts.	43.75
	Moth Dept., Work on Shade Trees	25.80
	Account Work on Central St. Dump	5.06
	T. A. Mulroney, Use of Roller	19.75
	Amount Returned from State Aid Roll	6.00
	Amt Transf'd temporarily from Sewer Dept.	7,500.00
	S. A. Lawrence, Col., 1906 Tax	289.30
	Interest	19.26
	Moth	6.15
	1907 Tax	95.95
	Interest	4.73
	Street Water	2.16
	Moths	14.19
	Moths Abatements	12.51
	Abatements	8.16
	1908 Tax	103.20
	Interest	11.44
	Abatements	159.54
	1909 Tax	310.13
	Interest	5.92
	Moths	.50
	Abatements	896.26
	1910 Tax	1,085.34
	Interest	87.33
	Street Water	5.13
	Sidewalk	10.05

Received S. A. Lawrence, Col.	1910	Moths	$6.11
		Sidewalk Int.	.91
		Abatements	893.48
	1911	Tax	11,066.60
		Interest	830.53
		Street Water	27.49
		Sidewalk	32.75
		Moths	194.69
		Sidewalk Int.	2.70
		Abatements	579.88
	1912	Tax	26,667.99
		Interest	647.14
		Street Water	52.60
		Sidewalk	142.27
		Moths	386.83
		Sidewalk Int.	1.46
		Abatements	372.78
	1913	Tax	92,700.93
		Interest	34.70
		Street Water	693.12
		Moths	1,023.75
		Abatements	1,748.56
		Abate. St. Water	3.84
			$317,200.52
Less amount transferred out of Town Accts. during year			
Perpetual Care Fund		$5,180.61	
G. L. W. Dike Fund		2,159.52	
M. M. Dale Fund		26.65	
			7,366.78
			$309,833.74

CR.

Bills Paid as per Auditor's Report		$299,378.85
Balance in Cash	$1,157.70	
Bills Paid	4,622.18	
		$5,779.88
Abatements		4,675.01
		$309,833.74

Sewer Account

DR.

1913. Balance in Bank	$7,648.23	

Balance in Cash . . .		$315.81	
		$7,964.04	
Less Amt. transferred to Sewer Main. Approp.		$900.00	
			$7,064.04
Received, E. A. Peabody & Son,	H. C. 874	. .	$89.65
Annie A. Holden,	" 784	. .	30.36
Wm. Murphy,	" 848	. .	29.32
Josephine Richardson,	" 647	. .	20.01
Mary Fox,	" 855	. .	23.11
George Cole,	" 854	. .	21.79
Edwin W. Pierce,	" 882	. .	26.44
J. W. Murphy,	" 879	. .	65.45
Victoria Meader,	" 877	. .	33.57
B. B. Earl,	" 881	. .	30.53
E. L. Patch,	" 880	. .	36.54
Wm. McLaughlin,	" 885	. .	20.41
Baptist Church Society,	" 886	. .	68.30
John D. Anderson,	" 889	. .	17.37
H. M. Chamberlain,	" 888	. .	26.52
F. M. Lyon,	" 817	. .	30.60
J. A. Stockwell,	" 845	. .	18.00
C. J. Barbour,	" 864	. .	35.00
L. A. Hoffer,	" 770	. .	30.00
F. S. Locke,	" 876	. .	31.91
F. L. Wilkins,	" 887	. .	34.99
Henry A. Stevens,	" 890	. .	49.57
B. B. Earl,	" 896	. .	32.51
C. A. Richardson,	" 893	. .	23.07
M. H. McKenna,	" 842	. .	20.00
T. E. McKenna,	" 843	. .	28.00
A. N. Newhall,	" 883	. .	15.66
A. J. Lorance,	" 875	. .	19.12
Nellie A. Corcoran,	" 878	. .	37.87
Jos. W. Holden,	" 894	. .	35.02
W. C. Whitcher,	" 891	. .	52.05
M. C. McDonough,	" 884	. .	25.80
Mary Montague,	" 803	. .	27.37
Annie M. Reynolds,	" 901	. .	22.78
J. P. Eagan,	" 902	. .	31.43
J. W. Holden,	" 898	. .	26.73
George F. Shaw,	" 906	. .	33.38
Sara E. Child,	" 905	. .	33.51
John S. Gilmore,	" 904	. .	37.08

Received	A. P. Sherman,	H. C. 908	. .	$43.53
	James H. White,	" 915	. .	21.17
	George Cole,	" 911	. .	22.36
	M. L. Hay,	" 916	. .	36.37
	E. A. Currier,	" 913	. .	29.18
	C. L. Jones,	" 918	. .	47.55
	J. J. Sullivan,	" 912	. .	24.53
	E. A. Vinton,	" 916	. .	28.92
	D. H. Adzigian,	" 909	. .	32.56
	Sarah T. Moulton,	" 900	. .	45.53
	F. M. Lyon,	" 914	. .	44.01
	Samuel Whitney,	" 910	. .	30.24
	Stoneham National Bank, Interest		. .	15.20
	S. A. Lawrence, Col., 1904 Assessment		.	26.85
	1905 "		. .	14.09
	1906 "		. .	17.68
	1907 "		. .	24.06
	1908 "		. .	89.52
	1909 "		. .	41.54
	1910 "		. .	158.69
	1911 "		. .	136.35
	1912 "		. .	282.49
	1913 "		. .	488.73
				$10,036.01

CR.

Bills paid as per Auditor's Report . .	$2,323.27	
Balance in Bank	189.24	
Balance in Cash	23.50	
Bal. Amt. Trans. to Town Acct. temporarily	7,500.00	
		$10,036.01

Water Department

DR.

Feb. 1913.	Balance in Bank	. .	$275.94	
	Cash and Bills Paid	. .	937.19	
				$1,213.13
Received	Stoneham National Bank, Interest		. .	1.86
	June 1913, Rates	. . .	. .	10,963.14
	December 1913, Rates	. .	. .	12,553.29
	Sale of 10 Bonds	. . .	. .	10,000.00
	Interest and Premiums on same		. .	92.78

N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls Refunded	4.97
H. T. Meegan, Dynamite Sold	1.60
F. C. Lye, " "	.90
A. H. Brown, Hose Sold	.50
H. T. Meegan, Junk Sold	1.40
New Services, Relays, Pipe Sold, Labor, etc.	926.18
Amount Borrowed from Trust Fund	780.61
	$36,540.36

CR.

Bills Paid as per Auditor's Report	$35,768.98	
Balance in Bank	496.86	
Cash and Bills Paid	274.52	
		$36,540.36

Cemetery, Perpetual Care Trust Fund

1913. Balance as per 1912 Report	$18,422.84
Received for Care Mary J. Fogg, 1073	75.00
George F. Shaw, 623	100.00
George P. Boyce, 1083	50.00
Delia M. Heath, 268-269	100.00
Sarah H. Willey, 519	100.00
Est. William Tidd	1,250.00
George O. Bucknam, 1600	100.00
Moses Jaquith, 490	100.00
John A. Heath, 1003	100.00
John C. Coffin, 243	100.00
Harriet I. P. Upton, 258	100.00
Reuben Locke, 315	75.00
Mary J. Colter, 589	100.00
Archibald Harriman, 261	100.00
Sylvia C. Barnes, 195	50.00
Hrs. Eli Noble, 732-733	100.00
D. D. & Wm. Peabody, 212	100.00
Sarah J. Green, 693	100.00
	$21,222.84
Interest on same	937.50
Total Interest and Principal	$22,160.34
Interest paid Trustees Lindenwood Cemetery	937.50
Principal	$21,222.84

G. L. W. Dike Library Trust Fund

1913. Balance as per 1912 Report	$2,159.52
Stoneham 5c Savings Bank, Interest	81.68
Total Interest and Principal	$2,241.20
Accumulated Int. and Div. Paid to Trus. Pub. Lib.	241.20
1914. Principal	$2,000.00

Matilda M. Dale Cemetery Trust Fund

1913. Balance from 1912 Report	$26.65
Stoneham 5c Savings Bank, Interest	1.00
Total Interest and Principal	$27.65

Richardson Library Trust Fund

1913. Amount Received from Trustees Public Library	$100.00
Stoneham 5c Savings Bank, Interest	2.00
Total Interest and Principal	$102.00

Amount of Indebtedness

Amount of indebtedness as per this report		$260,000.00
Due from uncollected taxes	$58,050.60	
Cash and bills paid, regular department	5,779.88	
Cash and bills paid, water department	771.38	
Cash and bills paid, sewer department	7,712.74	
Invested in water plant	105,000.00	
		$177,314.60
Net balance against town, 1914		$82,685.40
Against corresponding amount for 1913		81,644.63
Amount of Indebtedness as per 1912 Report		$260,000.00
Of which the following has been paid:		
April 14, 1913, Anticipation of Taxes	$10,000.00	
April 15, 1913, Anticipation of Taxes	10,000.00	
May 14, 1913, Anticipation of Taxes	20,000.00	
April 1, 1913, High School Bonds	3,000.00	
May 1, 1913, Water Dept. Bonds	5,000.00	
June 1, 1913, Water Dept. Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1913, Sewer Dept. Bonds	5,000.06	
May 1, 1913, Playground Note	1,000.00	
		$55,000.00
Following are the new loans:		$205,000.00
Due April 28, 1914, Anticipation of Taxes	$10,000.00	
April 12, 1914, Anticipation of Taxes	15,000.00	
May 8, 1914, Anticipation of Taxes	10,000.00	
May 8, 1914, Anticipation of Taxes	5,000.00	
May 8, 1914, Anticipation of Taxes	5,000.00	
June 1, 1920, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1921, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1922, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1923, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1924, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1925, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1926, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1927, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1928, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
June 1, 1929, Water Bonds	1,000.00	
		55,000.00
Amount of Present List		$260,000.00

Divided as follows:

Anticipation of Taxes	$45,000.00	
New High School	17,000.00	
Water System	105,000.00	
Sewer System	89,000.00	
Playground	4,000.00	
		$260,000.00

Bonds Unsold.

School 3½s, issue of 1901, Seven.
Water 3½s. issue of 1901, One.
Water 4s, issue of 1912, Eight.
Sewer 4s, issue of 1912, Seventeen.

For authority of new loans see Town Clerk's report.

For Payment of Town Debt 1914, I would recommend	$12,000.00
For Payment of Interest 1914, I would recommend	6,600.00

Treasurer's Statement

	REGULAR	WATER	SEWER
Balance, February 1913	$8,947.26	$1,213.13	$7,964.04
Ded. trans., trust funds, spec. accts	7,366.78		
	$1,580.48	$1,213 13	$7,964.04
Receipts	308,018.80	35,327.23	2,071.97
	$309,599.28	$36,540.36	$10,036.01
Less Abatements	4,675.01		
	$304,924.27		
Payments	$299,378.85	$35,768.98	$2,323.27
Balance to 1914	$5,545.42	$771.38	$7,712.74

During the year just closed the accounts of the various trust funds have been transferred out of the Treasurer's cash account and now stand as separate accounts, the Dike and Dale Funds deposited in the Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank and $5,000 of the amount restored on the Cemetery Perpetual Care Trnst Fund invested in Stoneham Water Dept. bonds, the balance being held as a temporary loan to the Water Department.

General financial conditions have been such during the latter part of the year that the amounts due the town have been very slow to come in and this fact, together with the necessary payments against 1914 account, has made the payment of the bills somewhat slow and necessitated holding a number of the 1913 bills over for payment.

W. PADILLA GRAY, Town Treasurer.

Auditors' Report

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of W. Padilla Gray, Treasurer, and S. A. Lawrence, Collector, and find them correct as stated. We have counted the cash and verified the bank deposits by statement from the Stoneham National Bank and the Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank.

FRED H. CHASE
C. FRANK MUNGER } Auditors.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To Sumner H. Green, or either of the Constables of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, GREETING

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in Armory Hall in said town on

Monday, the second day of March

A. D., 1914, at FIVE O'CLOCK and FORTY-FIVE MINUTES in the forenoon, to act on the following articles of this warrant:—

Article 1. To choose, by ballot, a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen, three Overseers of the Poor, three Constables, two Auditors, a Tax Collector and a Tree Warden, all for one year; also one Assessor, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, one Park Commissioner and two Trustees of the Public Library, all for three years; also one Trustee of Lindenwood Cemetery for five years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question: "Shall chapter 807 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this town?" also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question?" "Shall chapter 487 of

the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act relative to the promotion of call men in the fire departments of cities and towns be accepted?" also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question: "Shall this town accept the provisions of section forty-two of chapter five-hundred and fourteen of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and nine, as affected by chapter four hundred and ninety-four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven, which provides that eight hours shall constitute a day's work for city or town employees?" all on one ballot in accordance with the votes of the town and the Revised Laws of Massachusetts.

The polls will be opened at five o'clock and forty-five minutes in the forenoon, and may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Art. 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Art. 4. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, and to choose committees.

Art. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing, and make appropriations for the same.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs and decoration of soldiers' graves for the year ensuing.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of books, and for the support of the Free Public Library and Reading Room for the year ensuing.

Art. 8. To see in what manner the town will appropriate the money received for the licenses of dogs.

Art. 9. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to hire money for the use of the town, under the direction of the Selectmen.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to pay the premium on the bonds of the Town Treasurer and Tax Collector, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 11. To see if the town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes, which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed collector.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall the coming year when not otherwise engaged, to the following organizations:—Post 75, G. A. R. six

evenings; Leon E. Warren Camp 31, U. S. W. V., five evenings; High School Alumni Association, one evening; Stoneham High school Cadets, two evenings; Senior Class in the High School, one evening; Stoneham Fire Department, one evening; Stoneham High school Athletic Association, one evening.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will petition the Director of the Bureau of Statistics for an audit of its accounts in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 598, Acts of 1910, and amendments thereof.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to fix the time for allowing discounts on taxes, and also fix the time when uncollected taxes shall go on interest; fix the rate of discount to be allowed, and the rate of interest to be charged, and take such other action as may be necessary in relation to the same.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two thousand one hundred and forty dollars and eighty-three cents ($2,140.83) for the purpose of continuing the work of destroying the eggs, pupae and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the Highways and public lands of the Town; and to take such other action as may be necessary to conform to chapter 381 of the Acts of 1905 and amendments thereto.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sums received by taxation of private property assessed on such property by reason of destroying the eggs, pupae and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths by the Town; said appropriation to be expended the present year for the same purpose; and all such sums expended to be assessed upon the owners of property benefited.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to oil the streets of the town or any of them, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to elect its selectmen at the next annual election in the following manner: One for the term of one year, one for the term of two years, and one for the term of three years, and at each annual meeting thereafter, elect one for the term of three years, as provided in Chapter 560, Section 367 of the Acts of the year, 1907.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to retain counsel for the ensuing year, and make an appropriation for the same.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars to

settle suit of Quimby and Ferguson against the Town, and to pay counsel fees in the same.

Art. 21. To see what action the town will take in the suit for damages brought against the Town by Wiliiam P. Dyer for alleged damages to property.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the removal of ashes and garbage the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for expenses of the Board of Health the year ensuing.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the unexpended balance of $167.44, appropriated under authority of Chapter 49, Revised Laws in 1913, said sum to be at the disposal of the Board of Health to make sewer connections.

Art. 25. To provide for the restoration of all trust funds which have been expended for general town expenses.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a fountain to replace the fountain now standing in Central square, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 27. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the preservation and care of the old Burying Ground on Pleasant street.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public town way, the private way now known as Plaza Ave. as laid out by the Selectmen, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 to paint the East Schoolhouse.

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400 to install a sanitary in the Center Schoolhouse.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $75.00 to install a shower bath in the basement of the High School building.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 to paint the Dean School building.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $750.00 for the maintenance of an evening school.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will grant the free use of

Armory Hall to the school department the evening of May 29, 1914.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,552.50 to remove 2068 yards of surface of the playground, between Washington street and Capen street, back to Calthia street, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Park Commissioners to sell the house situated on the playground, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to sell the playground situated between Washington, Pomeworth and Calthia streets and the Boston & Maine railroad, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to purchase and install a new boiler and make such other repairs as are necessary on Engine No. 1, of the Fire Department, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to reconstruct such sections of the fire alarm lines as have been in service nearly 24 years, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to locate an eight inch hydrant in Central square on the westerly side of Main street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to locate a Fire Alarm box in the Wakefield Park district, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to locate electric lights from High street to and through the Wakefield Park District, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to locate the following electric lights:—One on Main street corner of Kenwood avenue; One on Myrtle street between Washington street and Avon street; One corner of Duncklee avenue and Garden road; One on Hillside avenue near residence of Annie Doherty; One on Main street between present light north of North street and the Reading town line; One on High street near residence of Melvin Waitt; One on Montvale avenue between Main street and Cottage street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 44. To hear the report of the County Commissioners on repairing Main street from Central square to Marble street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will relay with a twelve inch iron pipe, the water pipe in and through Main street from Maple street southerly to Marble street; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water main in and through Main street from the present main therein northerly to Kenwood avenue; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water main in and through Kenwood avenue from Main street westerly for a distance of 250 feet; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative there to.

Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water main in and through Lindenwood road from Cottage street westerly for a distance of 880 feet; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will lay a water main in and through Dean street from Winthrop street to Everett street; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 50. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water main in and through Wilson road from the present main therein easterly to Fairview road, and in and through Fairview road southerly to South street; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 51. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water main in and through Wilson road from the present main therein, easterly to Pond street, thence northerly in and through Pond street to a point near the residence of Gordon A. Frost; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 52. To see if the Town will vote to lay a water

main in and through Cedarway from the present main therein northerly for a distance of 125 feet; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 53. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for concrete repairs for the ensuing year.

Art. 54. To see if the Town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the westerly side of Warren street from the existing walk therein southerly to Marble street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 55. To see if the Town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Shumway Circle abutting land of Annie A. Thibodeau, and to set curbstones on same, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation therefor or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 56. To see if the Town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the easterly side of Congress street, abutting land of Ralph R. Patch, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 57. To see if the Town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Gerry street abutting land Charles E. Cloutman, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the purchase of new shade trees for the highways, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 59. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for water meters the year ensuing.

Art. 60. To see if the town will vote to locate a hydrant in that part of the Town adjoining Wakefield Park, make an appropriation therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 61. To see if the Town will vote to repair Collincote street sidewalk, make an appropriation therefor or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 62. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sidewalk on the easterly side of Main street from Broadway northerly to the Reading town line, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 63. To see if the Town will vote to repair Franklin street from Central square to the Melrose line, make an appropriation therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 64. To see if the Town will vote to repair Montvale avenue and install two catch basins at its junction with Cottage and Wright street to be connected with brook under said avenue, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 65. To see if the Town will vote to construct a catch basin on Summer street, at its junction with Pine street, and connect the same with the drain in Main street; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 66. To see if the Town will construct a catch basin on William street at its junction with Central street, to be connected with drain in Main street; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 67. To see if the town will construct a catch basin on Marble street near Webster Court, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 68. To see if the Town will construct a catch basin on Waverly street, to connect with drain in Elm street, make an appropriation for the same or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 69. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Green street from the existing sewer therein northerly to a point near the residence of Samuel Hipkiss; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action action relative thereto.

Art. 70. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Marble street from the present sewer therein westerly for a distance of 100 feet; raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 71. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for a survey and plans for sewers in Atwood avenue, Park street, Hancock street, West Hancock street, Everett street and Winthrop street, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 72. To see if the Town will vote to resurface Broadway sidewalk with cinders or crushed stone, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 73. To see if the Town will vote to grade North street and build a sidewalk thereon from Main street easterly to the Wakefield town line; make an appropriation for the same or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 74. To see if the Town will vote to repair Bow street from near the standpipe on Green street to Spring street; make an appropriation therefor, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 75. To see if the Town will vote to repair Elm street from Main street to the Wakefield town line; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 76. To see if the Town will vote to reappropriate the sum of $125.00 to construct a granolithic walk on main street abutting the new Armory land, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 77. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new stone crusher; make an appropriation for the same or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 78. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a steel tank and appliances for oil sprinkler, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 79. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the old armory.

Art. 80. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a piano for the old armory, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 81. To see if the Town will ratify the payment made the clerk of the Superintendent of Public Works, the same having been appropriated for salary of Clerk of Board of Public Works.

Art. 82. To see what disposition the Town will make of the appropriation of $300.00 voted for salaries of Commissioners of Public Works.

Art. 83. To see if the Town will vote to pay $4.00 per day for single teams including driver.

Art. 84. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for street railings the ensuing year.

Art. 85. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for guide boards the ensuing year.

Art. 86. To see if the town will vote to concrete the

sidewalk abutting property of Harriet E. Lawrence on Franklin street under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 87. To see if the Town will vote to construct a gravel sidewalk on the easterly side of Pond street from Summer street southerly to South street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Art. 88. To see if the town will grant the free use of Armory hall to the Stoneham Oratorio Society one evening in March for its annual concert.

And you are directed to have three hundred and twenty-five copies of this warrant printed, and to serve the same by posting up twenty-five attested copies as follows, viz:—One upon each School-house and Meeting-house in said town, and the residue of the twenty-five copies in conspicuous public places in different sections of the town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting, and by publishing a duly attested copy of said warrant in some newspaper published in the town, the last publication to be not less than three days before said meeting.

The remaining three hundred copies you are required to have at the place and time of meeting as aforesaid for distribution.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

L. B. RENFREW GRAY,
ARTHUR S. PARKER,
WILLIE H. WHITE,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

A true copy, Attest:
SUMNER H. GREEN, Constable.

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